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# Sixth ASDA Show Nov. 19-21

### Portugal Plans Two For Military College

November 17 is the first day of issue of a set of two commemoratives Portugal will issue to note the 150th Anniversary of the Foundation of its Military College.



D. J. Duarte of Lisbon, Portugal advises that the denominations and quantities are to be 1 Escudo (4½ /million) and 3.50E 500,000). Production will be by offset in the State Printery.

A design by Candido Costa Pinto is used for both, an allegorical presentation which includes a cadet in the dress of the founding era.

### Stationery Society Meet During ASDA Show

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The annual meeting of the United Postal Stationery Society will be held at the Collectors Club, 22 E. 35th St., New York City, on Saturday, morning, November 20 st 10:00 a.m.
It is expected that the United States Postal Card Catalog, authorized at the meeting one year ago, will have been published; that distinct progress can be reported on the Foreign Postal Stationery Catalog, that more definite plans on be laid for the publishing of the catalog of the postal stationery of the U. S. Possessions.

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THE ASDA IN NEW QUARTERS. The American Stamp Dealers' Association recently moved into larger and more attractive offices at 116 Nassau St. in New York City. Two of the stalwarts of the Association present for the entire opening day were Sylvester Colby, president, standing, and Peter G. Keller, executive secretary, seated. They both are holding one of the posters advertising the Sixth Annual ASDA National Postage Stamp Show in the 71st Infantry Regiment Armory in NYC November 19 to 21.

### Postal Tax Issue For Tuberculosis Work

Again in 1954 Cuba will have an edition of postal tax stamps to raise funds for Anti-Tuberculosis work. This year's will have a denomination of 1c and will have the same design appear in four different colors. These will be blue, green, red and purple.



Their use on all letter mail will be obligatory in Cuba for the four months beginning December 1. The Propaganda Bureau of the Cuban National Tuberculosis Coun-cil will have first day covers, bear-ing one steam, in each of the four ing one stamp in each of the four colors, at 15c (cash or mint U. S. commems). Direct requests, along with payment and name and address to Dr. Ernesto Bello, 351 Obispo, Havana, Cuba.

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### Statistics 20c SD, 2c Jefferson Coil

First day of issue statistics have been released by the Post Office Department for the two most recently released stamps, the 20c Special Delivery and the Jefferson 2c coil of the Liberty Series.

The former had its inaugural at Boston October 13. There were 140,-809 first day covers cancelled; 194,043 stamps sold.

At St. Louis, Mo. on October 22, collectors submitted 162,050 covers for the first day postmark; 402,000 stamps were sold.

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### Important Philatelic Event More Elaborate Than Ever; Lincoln 4c First Day There

Stamp collecting's three-ring super circus, the Sixth American Stamp Dealers' Association National Postage Stamp Show, will open its doors at 10 a. m. on Friday November 19 and continue undiminished until Sunday evening the 21st. Scene of this year's mammoth philatelic paradise will be the T1st Infantry Regiment Armory, Park Ave. and 34th St. in New York City, place of previous sessions. Vieing for the attention of the expected record-breaking host of stamp and cover fans will be a better than 90-dealer bourse, an outstanding Lecture Hall series of programs, and a display of unusual philatelic and other material.

Prime event of the opening day will be the release of the 4c Lincoln regular of the Liberty Series. It will be given a formal inaugural in ceremonies attended by officers and members of the ASDA, and officials of the Post Office Department.

Collectors can obtain first day covers by sending their envelopes bearing a name and address and containing a stuffer, along with the proper remittance, to the Postmaster, New York, N.Y., and endorsing the outside wrapper "First Day Covers".

Show attendees can have their covers serviced directly in the Armory where the Post Office Department, the Post Office Department will establish a temporary, exhibition station. The Post Office Department, the Post Office Department will establish a temporary, exhibition station. The Post Office Department, the Post Office Department will establish a temporary, exhibition station. The Post Office Department, the Post Office Department, the Insurance of the Armory it is of the Markov of

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This is the government display of full sheets, mint, of the nation's rarities of the past. It contains most of the recognized classics, including the famous "blue paper" varieties, imperf items, inverts, errors, etc. Also, die proofs, many of them bearing autographs of men who were Postmaster General from the beginning of the current century.

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stamps be brought from Washington for a special showing.
Robert E. Fellers, Director of the Post Office Department's Division of Philately, has informed the A.S. D.A. Show's general manager, Peter G. Keller, that the 6000 stamps and proofs chosen—enough to fill thirty frames—for display in New York comprise the following:

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Frame 1 — 5c imperforate of 1909, Scott's No. 347; 2c Lincoln perforate and imperforate issues and the 2c Lincoln blue paper, Scott

Nos. 367-68-69.

Frame 2 — Blue paper issues of 1909, 1c, 2c, 3c, and 4c. Scott Nos.

1909, 1c, 2c, 3c, and 4c. Scott Nos. 1357-360.

Frame 3 — Blue paper issues of 1909, 5c, 6c, and 8c values. Scott Nos. 361-63.

Frame 4 — Blue paper issues of 1909, 10c, 13c, and 15c values. Scott Nos. 364-366.

Frame 5 — 1908-09 imperforates, 1c through 4c. Scott Nos. 343-346.

Frame 6 — Alaska Yukon, both perforate and imperforate, as well as the Hudson Fulton, perforate and imperforate Scott Nos. 370-373.

Frame 7 — Panama Pacific issue of 1912-13, perforated 12, 1c through 10c. Scott Nos. 397-400.

Frame 8 — 1c 3/19/12 perforate with a tracing wheel (Kansas City Roulette); 2c perforate 11 of 1915; and 1c and 2c coil stamp sheets, 9/5/14.

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Frame 10 — 5c error, 3/23/17, perforate 11. Scott No. 499; 1c flat plate, 3/23/17, Scott No. 498; and the 3c offset, Scott No. 529.

Frame 11 — Blocks of four of the overprinted "Shanghai C h i n a" stamps of 1917-19, Scott No. K1-K16 complete; and the 3c Victory of 1919. Scott's No. 537.

Frame 12 — Sheet of 400, 2c 1922-26 imperforate.

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Frame 13 — Sheet of 360, 2c

1922-26 booklet panes, imperforate and uncut. Scott No. 554c.

Frame 14 — 6c, 16c, and 24c airmails of 1918; and the 8c airmail of 1923. Scott Nos. C1-4.

Frame 15 — 16c and 24c airmail 16 1923.

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The former runs to 56 pages, the latter to 78. Both are bound between card covers and each is in the Spanish language. Catalog values are in centimos and pesetas.

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# Festival Stamps

A basketball player making a push shot from in front of the basket occupies the design of a commemorative produced by Brazil Maracana Stadium, the world's for the World Basketball Championship held in Rio de Janeiro's largest. It is a 1.40 Cr scarlet.



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The designer has used some clever symbolism in that the "basketball" is a globe on which the outlines of the European and American Continents are seen.

Manoel F. da Motta of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil advises that the participating nations are Brazil, United States, Uruguay, Canada, Philippines, France, Peru, Chile, Paraguay, China, Jugoslavia and Israel.



Also newly issued by Brazil is an olive green 60c noting the Fourth Grain Festival at Carazinho in the State of Rio Grande do Sul. Three heads of grain posed before an abstract figure occupy the de-

### **Germany Society** Invites ASDA Visitors

A German Philatelic potpourri will be the subject of the November 19 meeting of the New York chapter of the Germany Philatelic Society. The group meets the third Tuesday of the month at 8:15 p.m. at the Collectors Club, 22 E 35th St. New York.
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A Cross of Lorraine being held aloft in a hand comprises most of the design of the New Zealand item. It too is in several colors.

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Bloomington, has been named temporary chairman. All interested collectors are asked to contact him. The Corn Belt Philatelic Society of Bloomington will hold a Topical Stamp Night, at its meeting of November 16 at the Bloomington Y.M.C.A. at 7:30 p.m. At this meeting Mr. Youngblood will discuss topical stamp collecting, and tell about the A.T.A. and its many ways of helping collectors.

Since interest seems to be growing in topical collecting and in the formation of branch chapters, those so minded are asked to write vice president Allyn H. Wright, 469 W. 166th St., New York, 32, N.Y.

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There will be 3c and 8c denominations, in 1,000,000 copies of each.

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The 3c will be printed in red orange, the 8c in olive green. The stamps are vertical, measure 37mm x 40mm and will come in sheets of 50, with marginal inscriptions appearing twice at the top and twice at the bottom of each sheet.

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6. A filler of medium weight should be placed in each envelope, and the flap turned in.

7. Requests for marginal inscription blocks will be filled only as far as possible, depending upon the number of marginal inscriptions available. On the other hand, the normal UN Postal Administration requirements concerning the number of stamps which must be purchased to obtain a marginal inchased to obtain a marginal in-scription are waived. However, no positional requests can be honored.

8. No mixed orders for both first day covers and mint stamps will be processed. Such orders will be

returned to the sender.

Separate orders for mint stamps will be accepted, but these must

established for these denominations on December 10. The following conditions will apply with regard to collectors desiring to submit envelopes for first-day cancellation servicing:

1. First day service is only given at Headquarters, New York, against payment in United States dollars.
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### GWL Said, "Take Over This Week."

The appearance of another face in this spot where senior editor George W. Linn genially smiles at you each week will probably surprise, but I hope not shock, a good many of our readers. His usual pertinent and informed editorial comments on the philatelic scene are to be set aside for just this one week so that you and



CARL P. RUETH

I, who have never become acquainted at other times, might do so. It's because Mrs. Rueth and myself will represent Linn's Weekly Stamp News at the ASDA National Postage Stamp Show in New York City November 19 to 21. Those of you who will find it possible to attend can thus "get a look at the crittur", meaning me, before the show opens. Having been there last year, Mr. Linn believed it quite appropriate that I write the editorial in this edition which will be distributed at the Show. Mr. and Mrs. Linn had expected to be in New York this November too, but because they will represent the Florida. will represent our paper at the Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs convention and exhibition at St. Petersburg the same dates, it wasn't possible for them to make it.

### The ASDA Exhibition and Bourse

There isn't much you can put in words which would describe the magnitude and the constant activity at each day's session. You who have taken in some of the really large APS, SPA and other exhibitions might be able to get an idea, for the ASDA event would take a number of such in its spacious quarters without crowding. It's big, really big. It's a three-day paradise for stamp collectors. It costs a nominal sum for admission, but after you're once inside the doors you can have hundreds of dollars worth of fun and information and it wont cost you another menny!

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It will take a number of hours just to view all the stamp displays.

The Post Office Department, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, the United Nations, the National Philatelic Museum, the Smithsonian Institute and other prominent organizations have all prepared special exhibits. There is a fine possibility that you will see some rare items of Lincolniana because the show will have a Lincoln theme and some of the leading collectors in this field are going to have their treasures. there for all to see.

Then dear to the heart of every stamp fan will be the first day on the opening of the show, of the 4c Lincoln of the Liberty Series. As in years past there will be an exhibition station post office right in the Armory, at the back. It will not only sell the new stamp, it will also have others there similar to the stock of the Philatelic Agency in Washington. First day covers will be cancelled at this post office as well as at the General Post Office; however the ASDA Show station will have a special cancellation. Normal services such as the acceptance of insured parcels and registered matter will also be given.

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Many of the national and international stamp societies will have Many of the national and international stamp societies will have bounges there where you can drop in and rest, meet fellow members, or where non-members can get information and literature about the specialist societies in which they are interested. Just walk in and introduce yourself to the folks there — they're just as happy to meet you as you are them.

What I have always considered the piece de resistance of these annual philatelic carnivals is the Lecture Hall Programs. In another part of this November 15 Linn's is the full three-day schedule. You will note that every hour on the hour an interesting presentation of some kind is made — something which will add considerably to your knowledge and pleasure. Admission is free and I would suggest that you sit down right now and mark off those presentations which have an interest for you. Chances are that you will want to check all of them.

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I'd say, if past year's averages hold up, that approximately 85% of all who pass through the Armory portals will do so with the determined and expectant look of a hunter in their eyes — a stamp and cover hunter! If that's your attitude, and the more than 90 dealers hope that it is, come loaded with that folding green stuff which Uncle Sammy runs off by the bale at his Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington. Come equipped with your want lists, and ideas of what you'd like to get your philatelic feet wet in next. You'll find it there.

### This November 15 Edition

Last year for the edition we made up to distribute at the ASDA Show, we had advertising to cause us to go to 24 pages. This year's is forty! We gave out over 5000 copies of the 1953 special from our - this year we are planning to exceed that figure.

To like to call your attention to the tremendous number of fine buys and offers of service which you will find in the pages of Linn's this week. The most progressive, largest, and best stocked dealers of the United States, Canada, and several other countries have listed part of their wares, or services. Some of the offerings are dated — that is, will expire after a reasonable length of time — but the names and addresses of the dealers, and what they sell can be used by you all year long as a directory. Any time in the next twelve months you have some particular things in mind to buy for your collection, just get this November 15 Linn's out of its resting place, and go through it. per 15 Linn's out of its resting place, and go through it.

However, with Christmas coming up you will just have to get out paper and pen, shop the ads for philatelic gifts, place your order, and then relax till the mail man delivers. No easier way in the world to

get this chore over with.

I am sure that all of you will find a number of things which you will want. Chances are, you will find too many!

### Our Booth Is No. 79

We will be in the same location as we were last year. Our booth is just left of the display of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing where they actually print stamps, and two aisles in front of the post office. It was a pleasure to meet a great number of you in 1953. I hope you old acquaintances, and the ones I haven't had the privilege of meeting, come up and shake hands.

We're going to have a very special item there I think will knock your eye out. It will be possible for you to get one of them with a minimum of effort. Other than telling you it's a honey of a philatelic object, I'll say no more. This is one time it will pay you to be curious!

SMILEATELICS ..... Bob Ricker



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### Lincoln Theme For ASDA Exhibition

Four countries' postal stationery Four countries' postal stationery bearing designs and inscriptions associated with the name of Abraham Lincoln is to be widely leatured by the American Stamp Dealers' Assn. for its sixth National Postage Stamp Show in the 71st Infantry Regiment Armory at Park Ave. and 34th St., New York City, November 19, 20, and 21.

Peter G. Keller, executive officer of the A.S.D.A. and the show's general manager, is not overlook-

reter G. Kener, executive officer of the A.S.D.A. and the show's general manager, is not overlooking the circumstance that throughout the country there are literally hundreds of financial and educational institutions, art galleries, theaters, etc., with the name "Lincoln" as part of their titles. With the cooperation of local stamp clubs, such organizations will be dignifiedly approached stressing the fact that the Post Office Department will honor this national philatelic exhibition on November 19 with the first-day sale of a stamp — the 4c in the new regular series — with Abraham Lincoln's portrait as the design, and that the same stamp will be released at Post offices throughout the nation on the following day,

released at Post offices through-out the nation on the following day, November 20.

"The Life and Times of Abra-ham Lincoln" is to be the show's theme. Preliminary inquiries con-ducted by Mr. Keller in the New York Metropolitan area have un-covered a score or more of banks, trust companies, and educations. trust companies, and educational institutions, each with the name of Lincoln incorporated in its title, that are contemplating cooperat-ing with the coming first-day re-lease of a stamp associated with such a theme.

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For the information of stamp clubs and individual philatelists who can be helpful by contacting their own local "Lincoln" institutions, following is a list, believed to be complete, of all stamps issued in the past with vignettes and wordings associated with the memory of our nation's sixteenth President (Scott design or number designations are used). nations are used).
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1034 — Liberty Series 3c, Albany, N. Y., June 24.
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1034a—Liberty Series 8c, Washington, D. C., June 30.
1039—Liberty Series 8c, Washington, D. C., April 5.
1049—Liberty Series 1c coil, Baltimore, Md., October 8.
1050—Liberty Series 2c coil, St. Louis, Mo., October 22.
1051 — Liberty Series 3c coil, Washington, D. C., July 20.
1060 — Nebraska 3c, Nebraska City, Nebr., May 7.
1061—Kansas 3c, Fort Leavenworth, Kans., May 31.
1062—Eastman 3c, Rochester, N. Y. July 12.

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-Airmail 4c, Philadelphia, C48—Airmail 4 Pa., September 3. E20—20c Special Delivery, Boston, Mass., October 13.

UNITED NATIONS Dec. 10—Human Rights Day, 3c, 8c, United Nations, N. Y.

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I'm still getting copies of the st Presidential with the carmine frame and lettering instead of the supposed-to-be purple. I am also getting some questions on the possibility of these varieties being caused by chemical factors.

That a color change through chemical means is possible and must not be overlooked is certainly one of the prime considerations. Purple is composed of a mixture of blue and red, and if you eliminate the blue, you have the red remaining.

That some of the stamps which have been sent here were made that way is admitted by those who have made such an experiment. However, depending on the chemical used, it is easy to determine whether the carmine of the submitted stamp is a true carmine, or whether it is a remainder from the purple after the blue has been leached out.

Stamps in carmine are in the hands now of an expert who is not only well versed as a philatelist, but who is a professor of chemistry at one of our large universities. He has a wealth of equipment at his disposal for checking.

his disposal for checking.

I have a hunch that the true carmine \$1 will fluoresce differently under a black light, than will the "manufactured" ones. I think proper magnification will show that the home made carmines, because of chemicals, will also show some effect on the black vignette, the paper, and the ink of any part of the cancellation the post office has applied.

applied.

I hope the checking will have been completed in the next week or so, so that this matter will be es-

so, so that this matter will be established one way or the other.

The fact too, that the carmine border stamps submitted here have come from all parts of the United States, and were gotten in a number of different ways by their owners, makes it rather farfetched to believe that any one person, or group went to a lot of trouson, or group went to a lot of trou-ble to see that the errors were planted in various ways, in various

places.
The possibility exists, too, that for the one printing, the Bureau of Engraving and Printing used a very unstable purple ink, and that the change came about just by passing through the mails. That I can't believe, for the Bureau is most accurate in compounding its own juks inks

Anyhow, hang on, and we'll see where this ride takes us!

1. On which denominations of the Presidential series will you find the the portraits of Grover Cleveland and Rutherford B. Hayes?

2. Do you know the states in which these two presidents were born?

which born?

Have just seen the newest edition of the philatelic Agency's List of Stamps for Sale at Face Value Plus Return Postage. It is notable for the fact that the commemoratives in stock are about half what they were last year at this time. Just twelve of the thirteen 1953's, the Ohio is missing, and the 1954's

Just twelve of the thirteen 1953's, the Ohio is missing, and the 1954's can be purchased. You can still get all the Presidentials from ½c to \$5 excepting the \$2, and the 1c, 2c, 3c and &c regulars of the 1954 Liberty Series. Also the 1952-53-54 \$2 Duck stamps, the 10c, 15c and 20c Special Handling; the new and old 20c Special Deliveries; 4c, 6c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 80c airmails; "new process" \$1 regular; coils of the presidential and Liberty Series and the current Postage Due stamps.

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velope to the Philatelic Agency, Post Office Department, Washing-ton 25, D. C., requesting it.

R. F. Calkins, Butte, Montana tells about a hunter of ducks up his way who looks down his nose at the gum the Post Office Department places on the back of the "Duck" (Migratory Waterfowl Hunting Permit) stamp. This hunter made a complaint to end all complaints about the stickum. Under the law a waterfowl hunter must have a copy affixed to his Hunting License. This guy apparently misunderstood the general idea.

idea.

Being one of a fortunate few to bag a flying quack, he griped to the local postmaster because the gum was so poor it wouldn't let the stamp stick to the duck's feath-

Confirmation of the supposition made here last week, that there will be two first day cities for the Centennial of the First Land Grant Colleges commen for 1955, seems

Colleges commem for 1955, seems to be confirmed by a news story in the State Journal of Lansing, Mich. Earl Fohl of that city submitted the item. It reads in part:—
"The first day of issue of the stamps will take place at East Lansing (Mich.) on February 12. That date is the 100th anniversary of Michigan State's founding, and is also the opening day of MSC's year long centennial observance, said Alvie L. Smith, centennial director. First day covers are to be issued that day also at Pennsylvania State (State College, Pa.)"

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P. F. Durand of Easton, Pa. has some ideas worth reading concern-ing the two kinds of \$1 Presidential stamps—the ones from 100 subject flat plates, and the more recent production from plates of 400 by a dry paper printing process. He

"In the October 18 edition you make the statement that the only way to identify the old and new \$1 stamp is by plate number. I will for the present disagree. I have both the old and new side of each other here and I am using the Gibbons 'Instanta Gauge'.

"The old \$1 specifications are viz: as I find them 11 x 11 perf; the vignette measurements are 19 x 22mm. The new \$1 specs are: 10.7½ x 10.7½ perfs; the vignette measurement being 19 x 22½mm.

"The color of the paper is on the purple side, and the printing deeper purple than the old. Also the gum is entirely different. So according to my findings there is a vast difference, or else I have some errors."

The above is all quite possibly.

The above is all quite possibly The above is all quite possing true concerning mint copies of both types of production, but identifying the used copies would not be so easy. I haven't ever checked the measurement across and up and down the frame of either, or the preferrious so, can't verify that perforations, so can't verify that

opinion.

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the actual gauge of the perfora-tion on any stamp. The millime-ter scale is on the nose, too.

ter scale is on the nose, too.

However when it comes to giving a "yes or no" within a ½ millimeter tolerance, of whether a stamp is this, or that, just on the basis of the measurement, I don't think 98 percent of collectors could do it

That nautical friend of Linn's That nautical friend of Linn's readers has once again been riding the waves of both the Pacific and Atlantic — Capt. Charles E. Milbury. I have received from him a letter within an envelope bearing a Cristobal, Canal Zone PAQUEBOT cancellation. Perhaps others of you who had placed self-addressed, stamped envelopes with him, did likewise. likewise.

likewise.

He writes, "Have a flock of mail with me, About 600 pieces that I shall try to 'Sea Jug' somewhere off the Atlantic Coast. I don't think that we will run close enough to Florida to try a 'Long Drift'. The chance of its loss or indefinite delay is too great. I may have better luck somewhere off New England; at any rate I will try my best."

It was good to hear from him again. Had sorta wondered in what

It was good to hear from him again. Had sorta wondered in what part of the world he was spending

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Elsewhere, you will learn that in a couple days after you receive this edition I will be on my way to New York where Mrs. Rueth and I will occupy Linn's Weekly Stamp News booth (No. 79) at the ASDA National Postage Stamp Show.

In a way that will be some relief from the rugged time we have had here at the office for the past several weeks getting this mammoth size edition of the paper together. In New York though, while one is on his feet almost the full twelve hours each day, from ten to ten, the time does move quickly with the greeting of old friends and the making of new.

Do drop around to say hello.

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Walter Siebert was appointed general chairman of the club's 1955 stamp exhibition and bourse to be held February 5 and 6 at the Hollenden Hotel.
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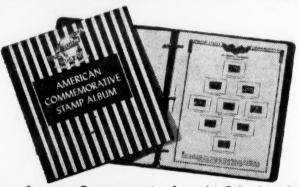
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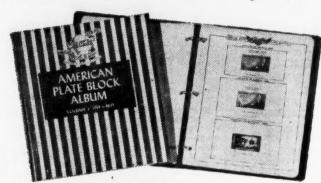
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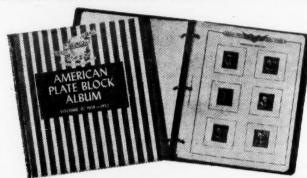
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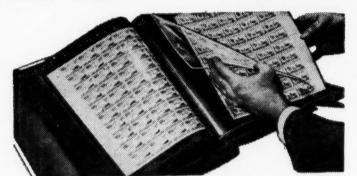
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How and why philately has developed across the years into a hobby which has millions of devoted followers throughout the world will be eloquently and informatively narrated in word and picture during the three days the sixth annual National Postage Stamp Show is in progress. A lecture program along those lines is announced by the exhibition's general manager, Peter G. Keller.

Sponsored by the American Stamp Dealers' Association, this year's edition of the show will be held on Friday, Saturday and Sunday, November 19-20-21 in the 71st Infantry Regiment Armory, Park Ave. and 34th St., New York City.

The lecture hall program is one of the show's outstanding features from the viewpoint of audience-popularity. In a special room set aside for the purpose, authorities on philately's many phases will tell the hobby's cultural and colorful story with the aid of motion picture films and lantern slides. These illustrated talks are a tribute to the planners, and never lack a capacity attendance.

In preparing a program of this character, aid comes from many sources; to mention a few: United States Post Office Department, United Nations Postal Administration, postal representatives of various governments, Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Smithsonian Institution, National Philatelic Museum, Boy Scout and Girl Scout organizations, air lines, the National Federation of Stamp Clubs and various national and local stamp groups.

Something of interest is offered for everyone—adult and juvenile, specialist and beginner. And something new is offered "every hour on the hour".

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### FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19

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11 A.M. United States Post Office Dept. film, "Pigeon Holes and Progress", through the courtesy of the Post Office Dept.

12 Noon United Nations film, "United Nations, N. Y." The story of United Nations stamps, through the courtesy of Reidar Tvedt, Chief, United Nations Postal Administration.

1 P.M. Film: Production of Swiss Postage Stamps, No. 1, through the courtesy of the National Federation of Stamp Clubs.

2 P.M. Film: Production of Swiss Postage Stamps, No. 2, through the courtesy of the National Federation of Stamp Clubs.

3 P.M. Slides: Production of United States Postage Stamps, through the courtesy of the Post Office Dept. Shown by John Thompson, photographer, U.S.P.O.D.

4 P.M. Showing of selected material from the National Postage Stamp Collection, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., by Franklin R. Bruns, Jr.

5 P.M. Film: "This is Scandinavia", through the courtesy of Scandinavian Airlines System, Inc.

6 P.M. Film: "Clearing Away", the story of the construction of U.N. headquarters in New York, through the courtesy of Reidar Tvedt, Chief, United Nations Postal Administration.

7 P.M. Women's Philatelic Society of New York program conducted by Mrs. Sophie Buser, president.

8 P.M. Germany Philatelic Society Program.

9 P.M. Film: "On Top of the Ski-World", through the courtesy of Scandinavian Airlines System, Inc.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 20

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Girl Scouts of America program. Films, slides and quiz. Conducted by Mrs. Leona Pecha. Prizes. Women's International Stamp Club program. Screen showing in color of members' Lincoln philatelic items. 11 A.M.

American Topical Association program, conducted by Allyn 1 P. M.

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American Topical Association program, conducted by Anya H. Wright.
Boy Scouts of America program. Films, slides and quiz.
Conducted by Mrs. Evelyn Chapman. Prizes.
American Philatelic Society program, conducted by president Burleigh E. Jacobs and Leon Gedaly, regional governor.
Society of Philatelic Americans program, conducted by Fred Barovick, vice president.
France & Colonies Group program, conducted by Miss Louise Clamencon. 4 P.M.

6 P.M.

France & Colonies Group program, conducted by Miss Louise Clemencon.

Film: "Picturesque Germany", through the courtesy of Scandinavian Airlines System, Inc.

Bronx County Stamp Club program.

United Nations Program. The purpose of the U.N. stamp clubs and how they serve young collectors, given by Tony Simon, director, United Nations Stamp Clubs.

Film: "Pigeon Holes and Progress", United States Post Office Dept.

### fice Dept. SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

12 Noon

1 P.M. 2 P.M.

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 21

Film: "Production of Swiss Postage Stamps, No. 1".

Society of Israel Philatelists program.

Bureau Issues Association program, conducted by Sol Glass, president, with the cooperation of the All Boro Collectors Club. National Philatelic Museum program, conducted by Bernard Davis, director, and the members of the museum staff.

Film: "Children", The work of UNICEF, through the courtesy of Reidar Tvedt, Chief, United Nations Postal Administration.

Slides: "Production of United States Postage Stamps, U. S. Post Office Dept.

4 P.M.

5 P.M. Shides: "Production of United States Postage Stamps, C. S. Post Office Dept.
6 P.M. Film: "Finland", through the courtesy of Scandinavian Airlines System, Inc.
7 P.M. Film: "Production of Swiss Postage Stamps, No. 2".

### Newsletter Gives St. Francis Data

9 P.M.

which, for October, is devoted to a review of the second Trieste postage due set. The "Italian Notebook" section of the publication devotes a similarly detailed review to the 1928 Emmanuel Philibert issues, which constitute a single emission rather than the two separate sets into which Scott divides them.

Information about Italy Stamp

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### Hudson-Mohawk SIP Installs Officers

The second annual dinner meeting of the Hudson-Mohawk chapter of the Society of Israel Philatelists resulted in one of the most memorable philatelic evenings the group has yet experienced. Following a tasty dinner and interesting program, the new officers were installed.

They are president Fabius Schmerler; Irving Rosenberg vice president; secretary - treasurer Leon Cheris, 28 Clayton Pl., Al-bany, N. Y.

A souvenir first day cover with its origin in Israel was given to each attendee. The secretary advises there are still a few available from him. able from him.

### Perfins Collectors **Elect New Officers**

Officers for the new fiscal year were chosen by members of the Perfins Stamp Club. This national organization specializes in stamps which have perforated initials or designs punched through postage stamps as controls and identification.

Keith Misegades was elected president, Charles V. Metz, vice president, and David C. Stump, secretary-treasurer, 532 W. Beech Tree Lane, Wayne, Pa.

Mr. Misegades is also editor on the club's "The Perfins Bulletin" the club's which carries news on the activi-ties of the club and information about the hobby.

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13 .....AV 1414 .... VG 1419 .... VG 25 ... VG 33-35 ... VG 55-58 ... VG 63-71 ... VG 163-69 ... VG

.41 .38 1.48

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VG .66
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VG .16
FV .118
FV .298
FV .288
VG .246
FV 3.98
-44 FV 18.98
-44 FV 18.98
-47 FV 8.48
-47 FV 8.48
-47 FV 8.48
-47 FV 6.88
-48 S 1.79
93 S 2.69
-57 V .38
-68 VG 1.146
-77 FV 6.98
-77 FV 1.98
-78 FV 1.98
-78 FV 1.98
-79 FV 1.98
-70 VG 1.96
-70 VG 3.60
-70 VG 3.

FOR SYMBOLS, CONDITION SYMBOLS, TERMS, ETC.

#145-30 .FV .18 #38 .FV
#145-46 . 8 3.19 #39 .FV
#414-55 . VG
#416-54 ..FV
#46-54 ..FV
#57-x .VG
#57-x .VG
#57-x .VG
#57-x .VG
#57-3 .VG
#57-3 .VG
#57-74 .VG
#57-5 .75 .76 ..FV

BOX 42-LL

BABYLON, N. Y.A.

This Offer Good

To January 30, 1955

While The Limited

Supply Lasts. Please Send List of 2nd Choice.

# SALE OF UNITED STATES STAMPS - LIST No. 551

Cast	Year	VG   7.76   223   1.76   1.7	## P1	Ca4	229
*68-* VG 2.96 122 468-* VG 1.45 122 69	G 27.45 V.Fancy V. V. Sancy V.	226 FV 10 226-x P 152 226-x AV 1.14 226-x VG 2.46 226-x VG 3.36 227 P 20 227 AV 34 227 FV 1.88 227 FV 1.88 227 FV 1.88 227 FV 2.86 227 FV 2.86 227 FV 2.86 227 FV 2.86 227 FV 3.46 227 FV 2.86 227 FV 3.86 227 FV 3.86 227 FV 3.86 227 G 2.15 227-x VG 2.45 227-x VG 3.56 3 227-x VG 3.56 3 228 F 228 3 AV 44 6 228 VG 36 8 228 AV 44 6 228 VG 36 6 4228 G 3.25 6 4228-x VG 3.66 6 4228 G 3.26	2251-m   S 5.49   Shades(3) VG	5.6	Fy 5.68 ***344 *** 8 . 59 ***344 *** 98 . 4344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 98 ***344 *** 97 *** 8 . 89 ***344 *** 97 *** 8 . 89 ***344 *** 97 *** 8 . 89 ***344 *** 97 *** 8 . 89 ***344 *** 97 *** 8 . 89 ***344 *** 97 ***38 ***344 *** 97 ***38 ***344 *** 97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***97 ***38 ***344 ***34 ***344 ***34

### SYMBOLS

\* —Mint. Full O.G. where called for.

\* —Mint never touched by a hinge.

\* —Unused without Gum.

cp —Card Proof | Sk—Shermack coil

p —India Proof | LPr.—Line Pr.

sp —Specimen | P#—Plate # Single

ms —Marginal Straight edge

Fancy C—Fancy Cancellation.

### SYMBOLS

HPVL—Horizontal Pair with Vertical Line VPHL—Vertical Pair with Horizontal Line WPHP—Horizontal Plate Number Pair. VPHPT—Vertical Plate Number Pair. VPHPT—Vertical Plate Number Strip of 3 VPHS3—Vertical Plate Number Strip of 3 (W10)—WHOLESALE LOT OF 10 Stamps. Shades (3)—3 Different Shades of Same Stamp.

### CONDITION SYMBOLS

"g"—Extremely Fine or Superb. For Most Exacting.
"py"—Premium Fine to Very Fine.
"Q"—As Above with tiny flaw, or Sound Off-Center item.
"Ay"—Average slightly imperfect, but quite presentable.
"p"—Poor. Adequate Space-filler.
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F-L MAIL SALE FEATURING U. S. AND FOREIGN 1847 TO 1951

### SALE CLOSES DEC. 2ND 1954

1. All lots to be sold to the highest bidder at a slight advance over the second highest bid.

 Lots will be sent to successful bidders known to us, or who submitted references for immediate payment. Other bidders will be notified and their lots sent against full payment. Description: Cat. numbers and prices are from Scott's part I 1954 and part II 1955 Cat. Other catalogues used: Sanabria, Gibbons, Michel, Amer. Airmail Cat. and F-L (Germany (1945-6).

When no condition or defect mention the stamps are in excellent sound undamaged above average condition. SYMBOLS: \*\*—Unused with original gum. \*—Unused without original gum. ①—Used. [—Used on plece. []—Block of four. B—Booklet pane. []—Cover. SH—Sheet. S—cpl. set. P—Proof. E.C.V.—Estim. Cash Val. Equals retail valuation of lot. Ey—Essay. Lots marked \*\*\*(\*\*\*) are mixed unused and used. Cat. Val almost VF 35.00 blue , ironed out

Lo	##	Description Cat. Val			Description Cat. Va
	-	UNITED STATES	95	**	BREMEN, 5, Coat of Arms, almost VF 35.0
	0	1847 Sc (1) red canc. bit close at B., otherwise VF	30		11, on small, neat cover, blue
9	0	1847 5c (1) blue numeral "5" canc.			BREMEN-BAHNHF, canc., ironed out filing crease, attractive
-	(.)	almost VF 45.00	97	**8	BULGARIA, 567-8, also 70 1, Mi
3	0	1847 5c (1) pen cancel, fine 15.00			593-595
4	0	1847 10c (2) "HARELIP", Tectoscope	98	**S	CAMEROONS, 130-168 5.6
	-	D 12/15, sl. ct. in at top, otherw. VF 150.00	99	(.)	CAPE OF GOOD HOPE, 2, JF 12.50
9	**	1851 1c (7) VF appear, sl. cut in 10.00 1852 1c (9) recut once at top, F, OG 30.00	100	* KS	CARPATHO-UKRAINE, 1945,
7		1852 3c (10) hor, marg. pair, beaut.	101		"Uzhorod" prtg. cpl., Mi. 84-89, Mk. 14.20
	0	canc also 3c (25) F 8.25			Same, in blocks of four Mk. 56.84 CHINA 279 on post. cd., also bearing
8	0	1852 10c (14) Very Fine 16.00	100		U.S. 279 canc. Mil. P.O. No. 1 CHINA.
9	8	1852 10c (14) narrow at right,	1	W-54	France. Off. Ch. #1, India M2,
		otherwise Very Fine 16.00	1		Japan 93, Russia, Off. ch. 1, with
10	0	1852 12c (17) (Pa)id canc., three			appropr. canc., interesting item
	hr 6-075	wide marg., fourth sl. cut in 32.50	103	**	
YY	**	1857 1c (24) Block of four, sl. stains,	100	**8	sheet margin, Est. Cat. Val. 10.00
12	0	2 stps. paper on back F 18.50 1857 10c (33) Good Copy 9.00	105	**	513 Souvenir sheet 5.00 521var. Big Three, red ovpt.
13	8	1859 10c (35) red cancellation, Fine. 5.00	100	**	inverted, rare Est. Cash. Val. 40.00
14	0	1859 10c (35) pair, Fine 10.00	106	**	527a (only 100 known) Est. Cash Val. 8.00
15	**	1861 3c type A 25 "Washington".	107	P	CROATIA B33-36, 32 color proofs
		on chemical paper, unissued ?			in 8 diff sets Est. Cash Val. 16.00
16	0	1861 12c (69) canc. a bit smudged,		* KS	B73-B75, Storm Division 15.00
2.77		otherwise Very Fine 5.50 1861 2c type A 32 Andrew Jackson,	109	* KSI	H CUBA 406, FDR, cpl. sheet w Pl.#,
Y. 0	**	on chemical, paper, unissued?	110		czechoslovakia, forerunners, 2.50
TR	**	1861 5c (76) beaut, color almost "F 10.00	110		ovpts. on Austria 147, 149, 150,
19		1867 15c (98) unused, Fine 22.00			canc. Praha Nov. 23, 1918 on piece,
	<b>依依</b>	1869 10c (116) part OG, Very Fine. 25.00			Est. Cash Val. 5.00
21	**	1869 12c (117) most beautiful color	111	**8	288-292, 20 complete sets 12.00
-	^	almost Very Fine		**S	310, 25 Souvenir sheets 12.50
22 23	8	1869 15c (119) slightly carcelled, Fine 9.00		* KSF	
24		1869 30c (121) Very Fine	114	**S	Liberation 1945, Rumburg 18 val.
ar-t	W.	AND AND LEGS! A PRODUCTLY UMUSED, MS 18 40.00	115	**8	ovpts, on German Hitlerheads E.C.V. 4.00
_			116		Same, but blocks of 4 E.C.V. 16.00 U. S. Army in C.S.R. on Germ. B270

Tectoscope helps you discover those hidden rarities

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.00	ovpts. on German Hitlerheads E.C.V. 4.0  115 *** Same, but blocks of 4 E.C.V. 16.0  116 *** U.S. Army in C.S.R. on Germ. B270	0
	B273, B277, error "ARMV" E.C.V. 12.5 117 ** Same, but ovpt. on Germ B274	0
1	115 ** Table 1. 115 1.	7
	119 * *SH 301-303, B15-B17, Pl.# blocks . 3.64+120 1946, P.O.W. camp Tarp/Esbjerg	
50 00	Red Cross cachet, signed "Winter"; furtheron "Taxe percue" letter	
50	Germ. to Esbjerg . Est. Cash. Val. 15.00  DANZIG 99 black proof (bl. of four)  On orbd also of 107 Fet. Cash. Val. 4 50	1
00	122 ** DUTCH INDIES 247, 5g bistre, almost superb	
00	123 ** N5-N10, 10 sets 15.00 124 ** EASTERN SHESIA 2,5,7-27,29-30, E1-2, Ji-11, P1-5 17.53	
	125 4 28var. 30h red viol Imperforate	- 1
+	127 * 32, Masaryk, genuine	
00	129 * * S EGYPT 208-223, B1, 4 cpl. sets 6.20 130 * * S B1, B2, 2 cpl. sets 4.55 131 * * S B3-B12, 2 cpl. sets 373	
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0	nat.p.c. Est Cat. Val. 10.06  126 ★★ 31, Masaryk, genuine 35.00  127 ★★ 32, Masaryk, genuine 35.00  128 ★\$6 ECUADOR 417-422, ex FDR collection 3.54-  129 ★\$6 ECUADOR 417-422, ex FDR collection 3.54-  129 ★\$8 EGYFT 208-223, Bl. 4 cpl. sets 4.55  131 ★\$8 B3.B12, 2 cpl. sets 4.57  132 ★\$8H Same but blocks of four 11-429  133 □ ESTONIA 23, superb marginal copy, complete canc. 10.00  134 ★\$6 B39a (Souv. sh.), also B16-B19 4.50  135 ○ FTHIOFIA 272var. double "V" over-  print one inv., pair Est. Cash Val. 30.00  FINLAND 3 cut to octogen, pen and town canc. cpl. letter dated town canc. cpl. letter dated town canc. cpl. letter dated  FRANCE, 6.7,9 on letter from L6	
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	town canc. cpl. letter dated April 19, 1859	1
8	Harve, canc. grille sans fin39.50	1
0	140 * Liberation, "Saverne", 15 val. ovpts on Germ. Hitlerheads incldg. rare	1
0	141 **S Liberation Lyon (15 v. Petain), Lille	1
0	(1 v. cpl. blk of 4, types) E.C.V. 7.50 Offices in Morocco 66, 70, 71 8.00	12
0	144 * 48 232-235, B27, B29-31, CB25 2.40 145 8 B29-31, CB25, fl. reg. FDC to	1
)	146 S FRENCH COLS., B1-6, reg. cens.	-
)	136   Same, one of above pair E.C.V. 15.00	1.
	used, possibly FD	222
	Germ. 36 on two pieces canc. Tanga, Dar-Es-Salam Est. Cash. /al. 4.50 151	2 2 2
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	153	2
	155 ** 253a, 253b	2
	155 ★★ 253a, 253b 20.00  156 ★★ 254var imperf. bet. stamp and bottom marginEst. Cash Val. 10.00  157 ★★ 302.531 cpl. offsets, also C3 topmarg.	2 2 2
1	"kiss" 10 N 1, spec. lot. Est. Cash V. 8.00	2 2 2
	159 ** 531var. 2pf imperf. top margin copy, sup Est. Cash Val. 6.50	2
	1948 Berlin-N.Y Est. Cash Val. 5.00  161	2
	only partly prtd., canc. over prtd. and unprtd. surface . Est. Cash Val. 10.00 162 ** 591, 50pf num., pair, ribbon ovpt.	2
1	double	2:
1	165 * SH B8-11 blocks of four	21
1	166 ★★SH B15-18, blocks of four 32.40 167 ★★ B15, B16, B19, B23, B26, B27 7.75 168 ○★★ B17, B20, B24, B28-B31 6.55	20
L	169 ** 10 diff. stps. bet. B44 and B64 G-VF 4.03	20
	B90, B102 (6), B104 (3)	26
	173 **SH same, but in block of four 16.00 174 **S B141-B143 Nuerburg race, blocks of 4 11.00	26
	175 **SSH same, but Cpl. sheets of 50, rere 137.50 + 176 ** B301a in corner block with three B301	26
	172 ★85 B119, the famous "Horsewoman"   4.00     173 ★85   same, but in block of four   16.00     174 ★85 B141-B143 Nuerburg race, blocks of 4 11.00     175 ★85B same, but Cpl. sheets of 50, rage 137.50 +   176 ★8 B301s in corner block with three     B301	26
1	spec. canc. lot (Gr. Germany) E.C.V. 17.50	27
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	W-34	Police Berlin, Hannover, diff. seals, regul. stps. punched POL, 3 covers
	**	mixed frkgs. with O67 and O81 E.C.V. 12.5 3 N18-N24 Eupen & Malmedy 5.1 Occup. of Ukraine, KRIVOIROG,
182	**	Mi. 6Mi. Mk. 150.00 3 N 6var. 8pg AMG very clear double
183 184	**	impr., signed Dr. Dub. Est. Cash Val. 25.06 5N43-44, 6N39-40, 8N38-39, bl of four 15.26 5N7var. 20pf Baden prtd on gumd.
185	**	sideEst. Cash. Val. 10.06 Russian Zone, collection of 119 June 1948 hand ovpts on 530ff. and 557ff., inceldg. RRR 16 numerals "#37" etc.
186		11 reg. covers and 1 ord. RRR (some from civil service off) bearing hdstp. "37 Bad Doberan", workers to 5 Mk., some numerals, mixed, corr. dates.
187	X	Est. Cash Val. 60.00
188		pair, reg. cover Est. Cash Val. 15.00 1874 Service stamp Mt. I. (p.140), Est. Cash Val. 10.00
194 195 196 197 198 199	***S	on cover
G		F - L English Catalogue for ANY: Provisional and Local Issues 1945-6 \$2.75

	F - L English Catalogue for
)	GERMANY: Provisional and Local Issues 1945-6 \$2.75
	0
	201 ** ** Dresden-Loschwitz 75-89 (9 val. cpl), superb blocks
H	0 superb blocks Est. Cash Val. 12.0 202 ★★S Leipzig Fair Mi. 162-165., 162A-165A
1	Min. Sheet
	Hitlerovpt., 2 off Est. Cash Val. 2.0
M	205 * Finsterwalde 409a, 415a wrong colors H 4.00
K	0 206 S Lauterbach Mi.p.173, 10pf. cpl. E.C.V. 3.0 207 S but var. short "1" Est. Cash Val. 5.0 208
0	reg. letter Est. Cash Val. 17.50
0	209 ** 573var. 8-32pf perf. vert. only, fantail ? "Deutschlands Verderber", hdstpd. PM provisional set with GENUINE
0	overprint authenticated by PM. (differs clearly from the many sets offered)
0	202 **8 Leipzig Fair Mi. 162-165, 162A-165A Min. Sheet
7	of 100, shows all overprinted types 23.00
	213 * Spremberg 683var. 6pf. figure of val. inverted in pair with normal E C.V. 25.00
	214 * Germany 1927-1946, Collections of several hundred bet. 363 and 556, B3 and
0	B295, also some local issues. Strong in Semipostals. We notice 363-5, B106,
)	B119 single and block, B141-3, B145 single and block. Mounted in visitrays,
)	3 rgbinderEst. Cash Val. 37.56 See also lots 420 - 432, 545, for overprints on German
3	stamps 86, 114-17, 140.  Germany, Off. in China 1,1a,1b,36
)	216 ** Off. in Mecocce, Mi.II 5pf not 'ssued.
)	"Deutschlands Verderber", hdstpd. PM provisional set with GENUINE overprint authenticated by PM. (differs clearly from the many sets offered) on letter RRR
,	218 *CO Off. in Turkey, Cam., G.E.A., remainders (8 stps. gd.) ab 10.00
	218 **(*) Off, in Turkey, Cam., G.E.A., remainders (8 stps. gd.) ab 10.00 219 *** GREECE 2.11
	1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2
	222 ** 489a 30 D/ FDR Center dbl. RRR 60.00 223 ** 170a, 60 D FDR Center double. 40.00 + 224 ** 470a, 60 D FDR Center double. 40.00 225 ** 170a, 60 D FDR Center double. 40.00 226 ** 517-519, 25 cpl. sets 25.00 227 ** GUADELOUPE 141, cpl. sheet of 25 43.75 228 ** GUERNSEY Mi.l.2, Jersey Mi.l.2-8, also
	225 ** Same in block of four
	224 ★★ 470a, 60 D FDR Center double. 40.00 225 ★★日 same in block of four . 169.00 226 ★★S 517-519, 25 cpl. sets . 25.00 227 ★★ GUADELOUPE 141, cpl. sheet of 25 43.75 228 ★★ GUADELOUPE 141, cpl. sheet of 25 43.75 228 ★★ GUADELOUPE 141, cpl. sheet of 25 43.75 229 bisect cover not. Ctd
	229 HAMBURG 26, four tied on piece overlapping
	overlapping 16.00 + 16.00 + 230 ** Hungary bet. 551a, 839, Billoa, 206, 653-62, CB3-12 (66, incl. 14 sets). 10.23 667var, upper part pink, not tinted
	231 ** 667var. upper part pink, not
	321
	normal 2.50
	235 ** O64-67, 1-10K F-VF 32.00
	Coronation cachet
	comm. cov. brg. 11 stps. incldg.
	ISEAEL
	Interim terms 7049
	238 ★★⊞ Sl. 14c 10m Technion (H), blk of 6. 4.50 239 ★★⊞ Same, but block of 20 15.00 240 ★★ 18c 10m Valley of Jesreel (H) 2.00 241 ★★⊞ same, but block of four 8.00 242 ★★⊞ same, but block of four 8.00 243 ★ 30 (Ship) (H) sheet of 20 20.00 243 same, but used single 1.00
	241 * ASP same, but block of four 8.00
	243
1	245 Gola 44,46-48,50-53Cc (H) white env. 36.00
	243 same, but used single 1.00 245 29d 5m Negrev, no figure of val. (TA) 8.00 245 6c 39d 5m Negrev, no figure of val. (TA) 8.00 245 29d 5m Negrev, no figure of val. (TA) 8.00 246 *** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** ** *
	247 **B same, but one stamp showing plate variety
	247 **B same, but one stamp showing plate variety
	250 * H same, block of four Est. Cash. Val. 36.00 251 * 6, 50m perf. 10 x11 . Est. Cash Val. 7.50
	252 ① 9, 1000m
	incl. pl.#bl.1-6, gutters etc., rare stamps cat. normal
1	251
1	(Tect P 18)

244	0	29d 5m Negev, no figure of val. (TA) 8.00
245	N S	Gola 44,46-48,50-53Cc (H) white env. 36.00
	M1.130	STATE OF ISRAEL
246	**B	
	N Pro	#9 and set of blocks 1-6 Est. Cash V. 30.00
247	**B	same, but one stamp showing plate
	N. Mr.	variety Est. Cash. Val. 50.00
248	**	3, 10m perf. 10 x 11, bl. of four. E.C.V. 20.00
249		5, 20m perf. 10 x 11 Est. Cash Val. 8.50
250	E Em	came block of four Blat Clock Val. 8.30
	**	same, block of four Est. Cash. Val. 36.00 6, 50m perf. 10 x11 . Est. Cash Val. 7.50
252	0	9. 1000m
203	# WOT	I 11 5m, cpl. prtg. sheet of 300 uncut,
		incl. pl.#bl.1-6, gutters etc.,
004	N. A.CC	rare stamps cat. normal75.00++
204	To Tall	26, tab block of four 3.00 +
255	* KLI	26, tab block of four
		(1ect. F.18)
256	-W-KEI	# 28-30, the scarce block of 6R. 22.00
257	<b>长长</b> 8	31-32 UPU in neat folder, autograph.
		by designer Wallisch in Hebrew and
		Latin letters, only 250
258	**B	31a,32a panes with Pl.# in
		unexpl. bookl Est. Cash Val. 15.00
259	K-KPI	## 33-34, Pl. blocks of 6 Est. Cash V. 22.00
260	$\bowtie$	39, 5p. First day cover Oct. 4 (correct
		date), not Oct. 5, very rare Est. C.V. 35.06
261	00	SH 51 Herzl, cpl. sheet of 25, FD Zionist
		Congr. 1951 canc, very attract.,
		scarce Est. Cash Val. 18.00
262	**SE	52-54 col sheets of 25
263	一個 一個 に に	21H 62-64 Diste blocks of four 3.40+
264	* KPI	## 66-69 plate blocks of four 5.00+
265	OH	J1-5 First dues, blocks of four 69.00+
266	OH	J6-11 Second dues, used blks of 4 3.80
267	S	18 diff. First Day covers bet. #1 and
	79	, also O1-4, J12-20 Est. Cash Val. 14.00
	Israel	see also lots 306-310, 350, 351, 465-469.
268	O.K	JUGOSLAVIA B57a also 5 other Phil.
	E	xpo. Mint shts. (4 Expocanc., 24) 4.80+
269	A-MIDI	LEBANON 189-196, C101-106, bl of 4 22.48
270	P	LIBERIA 175, imperf. proof with
		was and any angles and and

271	margin	15.00
272	P LIECHTENSTEIN 1920, 10 diff.	
272	proofs and varEst. Cash Val. 32-52, 47a-49a, 132-5, 151a, J1-12	6.34
274	46var. Imperforate, wide margins	2
	P 46 br. viol. trial color proof	
	K-K 54 2r, perf. 121/2 Est. Cash Val.	4.50
277	218 10 fr. reg. fl. Govmt. cover st. cat	5.00
	X 218a Lucius sheet, face value \$10.00	20.00
279	222 5fr on reg off First Day gov 2	.50 +
280	KASH 219-21 Alpine Hare etc., epl.	
	sheets of 20	30.00
281	KASH 223-25 Marmot etc., cpl. sheets	
	of 20 superb	30.00
283	KASH LITHUANIA 53var. cpl. sh. of	
	100, wmk, vert Est. Cash Val.	25.00
283	K k8 "Memelland", Mi. 1a-dMk.	42.00
284	LUXEMBOURG 28 diff. bet. 129 : 255.	
	also B117-20	5.47
	B117-120 on numbd. clfl. favorish.	5
	MARIENWERDER 31, margin copy	6.00
287		5.00
288	MECKLBGSCHW. 2 sm. covers, one	
200	bearing 2 #5, other #2 (close)	13.00
208	MONACO B94 Minsheet on FDC 3.  247-52, C34-35  MONTENEGRO Mi. 1-9 Mk.	100
201	KKS 247-52, C34-35	2.43
209	KAS Mi. 29-35, also Kotor 7-10 Mr.	10.00
	CAS MOZAMBIQUE 300-301, C10	38.18

Lot # Description Cat. Val. 179 1934-1937 5 "POL" covers Chiefs of	Lot # Description Cat. Va
Police Berlin, Hannover, diff. seals,	295 KS NETHERLANDS 216,218-220var. IMPERE
mixed frkgs. with 067 and 081 E.C.V. 12.50 180 *** Occup. of Ukraine, KRIVOIROG.	296 ** 262-76, 278, 297, 299-300 3.5
182 * 3 N Syar Spg AMG very clear double	299 4 9,10 former rounded corn. othw 32,5
183 * SFF 5N43-44, 6N39-40, 8N38-39, bl of four 15.20	302 4 159 169 cpl pane of 25 10.0
side	303
incoldg. RRR 16 numerals "#37" etc.	307 KK 17b var. last "e" of Palestine like
Est Cash Val. 27.50 Russian Zone, magnificent coil. of 11 reg. covers and 1 ord. RRR (some	308 ** 20a perf. 15 x 14, extra. rare mint,
from civil service off) bearing hdstp.	Gibbons 33.60 + 33.60 + 45.60
some numerals, mixed, corr. dates.  187 St. Cash Val. 60.00  187 10N37var. 24pf Thaelmann, Imperforate	311 * 5 POLAND, Gen. Gymt. N73a, NB27 sht 43. 312 * N77var. N78var. Hitler Imperf. E.C.V. 5.0 313 * N79var. 10g Hitler Imperf. pr. E.C.V. 12.0 314 * N89var. 60g Hitler Imperf. pr. E.C.V. 2.0 315 * N89var. 60g Hitler Imperf. pr. E.C.V. 8.0 316 POLAND, Underground, 1943, set of
pair, reg. cover Est. Cash Val. 15.00 1874 Service stamp Mt. I. (p.140), Est. Cash Val. 10.00	314 K N84var. 30g Hitler Imperf pr. E.C.V. 30 315 K N89var. 60g Hitler Imperf pr. E.C.V. 30
Provincial—and Local Issues 1945/6 189 ** S Berlin Bear, rouletted F-L 13-42 3.75	3 stps. canc. Warsaw owner paid 8.00
190 (S same, but used	318 K-S PORTUG. INDIA 471, also 3 other Souv. Sheets 319 PRUSSIA 3 free franking covers from
numer   vert Pair Imperforate Det	Crownprinces' secretariat. Berlin 1867 ?
also FANTAILEst. Cash Val. 12.00  193 SCH 23var. "Maigreen", blocks of four on coverEst. Cash Val. 15.00  194 P 27 Breitscheid on gray odbd. part	once sold at \$7.50
imperf., 29 misplaced perf? 35-37 Junkerland, black proofs E.C.V. 4.50	321 **85 16 cpl. sets bet. 832 a.1124, incldg. 959, sup
0 197 P 36 three diff, color proofs imperf.	70 unused 9.48 ST. PIERRE 4 MIQU. 251-3, pairs on FDC 4.504
60 198 PH same, but blks of 4 Est. Cash. Val. 5.00 199 ** S 42-44var. Children's aid. Prtd.	
1946 issue 68var. 6pf rd. viol. IMPERF. PAIREst. Cash /al. 3.00	328 ** SAN MARINO 215-238,241,C34-39,41-51 6.65 329 ** SARAWAK 159-473
	330 ★★日 Same but blocks of four
F - L English Catalogue for GERMANY: Provisional and Local Issues	(Sc. P. 1015)
1945-6 \$2.75	333 ** SIBERIA 32 334 **S SPAIN 776-779 superb marg. 2.79 335 **S SWEDEN 26 diff. coils bet. 301 a.390, C6-7, incl. sets
0	8-11 face \$6.00
201 ** Dresden-Loschwitz 75-89 (9 val. cpl), superb blocks Est. Cash Val. 12.00	338 448 2 O 70-90 SdN fees 48 70
202 * *S Leipzig Fair Mi. 162-165, 162A-165A Min. Sheet	339 (S) same canc OG 16.8 340 (**E** 3 O 62-82, B.d.Travail, ace \$6.70, 14.9 341 (H) same, superb canc, blocks of 'A OG 57.8 4 O 1-21, B.d. Education, face \$6.70 [4.9]
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206 S Lauterbach Mi.p.173, 10pf. cpl. E.C.V. 3.00	Min. Shts.  70G0 68var. "occupation". Gib. 36F 11.3  345 ** 152, 153 se tenant 5.00+ 346 ** same, block of four 10.60
209 * 573var. 8-32pf perf. vert. only, fantail ?	348 445 TRANSIORDAN 64-70 122-33 238-44
210 "Deutschlands Verderber", hdstpd. PM provisional set with GENUINE	349 5 16-11. 30-35 16.89  TRINIDAD & TOB. cover bearg, pair #43, one stp. extra flagstaff Est. C.V. 5.00
overprint authenticated by PM. (differs clearly from the many sets offered) on letter RRREst. Cash V=1 45.06	350 ()-K TURKEY 132ffvar, 5pa-2pi "Jaffa"
211 ** Netschkau-Reich. 600 12pf Hitler, sheet of 100, shows all overprinted types 23.00	351 * * S 565-82, J88-91 (Incl. Palest, Scenes) 35.4 352 * * S 789-804, 817-22, 957-9 11.3 353 * * RA81-84 3.5 4 5 VATICAN CITY 41-45
212 ** Rosswein 616-617 Est. Cash Val. 2.75	254 AAS VATICAN CITY 41-46

	353	***	789-804, 317-22, 957-9 11.  RA81-84 11.  VATICAN CITY 41-46 12.  VENEZUELA type A 4 (bisect, etc.)  Est. Cash Val. 4.
l		A	IR POST STAMPS OF THE WORLD (Including Flight Covers)
ļ		X ks	United States C15 see tot 32
ı			ALEXANDRETTA C1-8 8.8
l	357	$\bowtie$	ALGERIA FF1 Alger, Casabl. 5/10/30
ı	250	-	red Expoc. also Expo. labels E.C.V. 3.0
ŀ	200	**	"Arc en Ciel 1933"
ı	350	**	"Arc en Ciel 1933"
ŀ	360	CES	AUSTRALIA Cevar. Ce. Imprint bl. of
ı	000	P Po	12. UR stamp showing "addtl. Isl." 4.264
	361	**S	AUSTRIA C4-11 3.6
	362	-K-KS	C12-31 16.5
	363	**	C27-29, 42,44,46 high val 10.7
	364	$\bowtie$	2 FF1. incldg. 1st airmail Wien-
			Beograd Est. Cash Val. 4.8
	366	$>\!\!<$	Kronfeld Gliderflight Wien-Sem-
			ring 1/33 and Intern. Mail
	200	P	Glid. fl. 7/33 Est. Cash Val. 7.50
	366	E.	C54,C56, black proofs on govtl. sheet Est Cash Val. 10.00
	207	$\boxtimes$	BELGIUM C5 on Spec. fl. cov. to
	301		Congo. (San. 20.00)
	368	**	C6-7. CB1-2 536
	369		C6-7, CB1-2 5.86 C8-11, face value \$3.25 6.66
	370	本本語	6F-37F-7F. San. 45 3.8
	371	1	4 Spec flight covers 1 Congo PCV #

1	370	本本語	6F-37F-7F, San. 45
Į	371	$\sim$	4 Spec. flight covers, 1 Congo E.C.V. 6.0
ı	372	**	BOLIVIA C1-3, C128-9, C137-9, bl. of 4 4.8
١	373	**S	C128-9, 138-9, 163-75 5.8
Į	374	**S	CAMEROONS C30 6.8
l	375	**	S CAMBODIA C1-9 (of which 5 in
ı			2 Souv. sheets) 8.8
ı	376	**S	CANADA O.H.M.S., San. 7,8,23,27 7M
	377	* AT	CANAL ZONE C2. block of four 2.0
	378	* KP	## C6, Pl. bl. of 6, also bl. of 4 1.504 ### C10, 30c, Pl. bl. of 6 3.8
	379	* KP	## C10. 30c. Pl. bl. of 6 3.0
ł	380	**S	CO1-7 11.8
I	381	0	CO3, CO5a (scarce), CO7 (San 7.80) 1
I	382	-K-K	CANARY ISLANDS San. 3-75, 77-79 9.70
ı	383	**	San. 82-83 12.00
ļ	384	-k-kS	COLOMBIA C27-39 23.00
ì	385	* KS	C40-50 6.79
I	386	**	C40h signed Kessler
l			pair of San. 164a 40.00
ı	387	**	C40var., sig. Kessler, San. 164c 40.00
ı	388		C41a, sign. Kessler, pair of San, 165a 40.00
ı	389	**	San. 166a, sign. Kessler, margins., 20.00
ı	390	**	C42a, signd, Sanabria, pair of
ı			San. 166a 40.00
ı	391	<b>本本田</b>	C42var, Sanabria 166c, block
ı			of two pairs
ı	392		C43a, Sanabria pair of 167a 40.00
ŀ	393	**	C44 var., San. 168a, sign. Kessler 20.00
l	394	**	same, but pair, signed Kessler 40.00
ı	395	**	San. 268, 268a (Sc. C134, 134a) 7.5
		**S	COSTA BICA C160-67 5.17
ı		**	same, blocks of four 23.68
		**	CUBA C2,5,6 (2), 73-76 3.16
		**	C38, 9 diff. pos. blck (Min.sh.)., 7.29+
		**	C41-3, gutter blocks of four 3.00
		**8	CZECHOSLOVAKIA C19-27 3.6
	402	**	C25, First Fl. to NY. stamp bl 4.00
		**8	DENMARK C6-10 2.78 same, but blocks of four
	404	**	same, but blocks of four
	405	**	DOMINICAN REPUBLIC, RACE (Red
	400	A 4-01	Cross), pair
	106	**8	DUTCH INDIES CB1-2
	407	* KS	EGYPT C30-38, NC1-12 5.374
	308	* KO	C51-2, C51var. "no dots" between & after letters S-A-I-D-A. (se ten.
			w.normal)Est. Cash Val. 16.00
	408	**8	ETHIOPIA C21-22
	410		same, margin blocks of four 48.00
	411	LES	FRANCE San. 522-7. 553-7.
	277	MAG	Algeria 501-6

		Cross), pair
406	**	DUTCH INDIES CRI-2
407	* *S	EGYPT C30-38, NC1-12 5.37 C51-2, C51var. "no dots" between
404	* KAS	C51-2, C51var. "no dots" between
		& after letters B-A-I-D-A. (se ten.
		w.normal) Est. Cash Val. 10.
400	**S	ETHIOPIA C21-22
410	* *S	same, margin blocks of four 48
411	* *S	FRANCE San. 522-7, 553-7,
419	×.	Algeria 501-6
*14		Paris-Berl. 5/23/29, dep. and arr.
		autogr. superb Est. Cash Val. 7
413	X	FFIs. (2) Air France Paris-Alger
***	1000	4/1/35 and Alger-Paris 4/2/35 E.C.V. 6
414	$\boxtimes$	
	ec. jes	Ana Casabi Toul (More. C16) E.C.V. b.
415		Phil Evno Paris entire from Expo.
	-	1937 to Berlin (addtl. frkg. C8) E.C.V.
416	**	FRENCH EQUAT. AFRICA C10, 12-15
		(Spacings)
	**	WAU
418	**S	FRENCH OCEANIA C21, Gd. Comore
440	h. h. m	C1-2, Laus C2-4, Madagascar Co
	**S	
421		GERMANY, San. 3, 4 (Mi. Mk. 16) 4. C20-26
423	**	
424	K-KS	C40-42
	**	Inselpost, MQia ovpt. Mi. type
-		
426	0	same, narrow angle Est, Cash Val 2.1
427	8	ovpt. shifted "LPOST" only
	-	possibly type I Est. Cash Val 10.0
428	0	INSELPOST on MC1a handstpd
	No.	Est. Cash Va. 20.0
429	$\bowtie$	
400	en man	shades and G32) Est. Cash Val. 10.1
430	$\sim$	The Court Cost Val. 2.
431	527	San. SC34 flown, spec. cachet 1.1
432		
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		one day, stamps (all 10 N), reg.
		one day, stamps (all 10 N), cest to New York Est Cash Val. 64
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433 Ey GREAT BRITAIN San EAPD 1d

434 EyH
435 AL
436 CHAC GREAT BRITAIN San EAPD 1d

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437 CHACEMALA C19, C11
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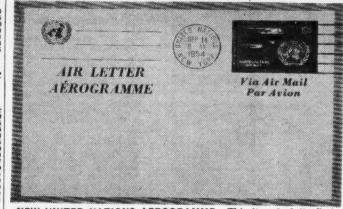
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NEW UNITED NATIONS AEROGRAMME. This item had its first day of issue on September 14 at the UN post office in the UN Building, N. Y. Not too many collectors knew about it so FDC's of it are scarce. The UN Postal Administration didn't make any fuss about its release, or prepare a special first day cancellation. As you will note from the illustration, the front contains the wording "AIR LETTER" and "AEROGRAMME". The superceded item just had the words "AIR LETTER" in the same place as on the new The stamp is a 10c blue, which color is carried to the other reading and designs. The above was sent through the courtesy of Arthur Imperatore, 50-04 31st Ave., Woodside 77, N. Y.

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The greatly enlarged and improved philatelic literature collection of Boston university, located in room 521 of the College of Business Administration Library, 685 Commonwealth Ave., is ready again this year to welcome phi-

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At St. Petersburg

The Florida Federation of Stamp Clubs Fifth Annual Convention and Exhibition will be held November 18-20 at the Soreno Hotel, St. Petersburg. There will be 266 frames in the Exhibit.

A special cancellation will be used at the convention. The Post Office Department will have a branch post office at the hotel where the latest commemorative stamps will be sold.

The new 22 million dollar Sunshine Skyway Bridge which opened Labor Day, connecting St. Petersburg and Bradenton, will be one of the entertainment features. A three hour boat ride under this span will be one of the many activities.

A "Gadget Bar" for beginners; a display of the fundamentals of collecting, such as a pack of stamps, a catalogue, thongs, hinges, etc. is another feature. As most stamp exhibitions are directed to the specialist and advanced collector. this table will rected to the specialist and advanced collector, this table will be staffed by members of the St. Petersburg Stamp Club to give the novices a start.

### Australian Issues At Philatelic Bureau

As from October 30 the sale of Australian postage stamps by the Australian Government Trade Commissioners in New York, Vancouver, and Montreal will be discontinued, and orders from the United States and Canada will, after that date, be handled by the Philatelic Bureau, General, Post Office, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia.

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### Scouts Form Stamp Club Within Troop

Boy Scouts of Troop 13 Kas-kaskia Council, Belleville, Ill. have gotten together and formed their own stamp club. Under the direction of senior adviser Ken-neth Neu, the boys hold meetings twice a month on the second and last Thursdays. Current officers are president Al Rigdon; treasurer Dennis Auth; secretary Bill Welinghoff.

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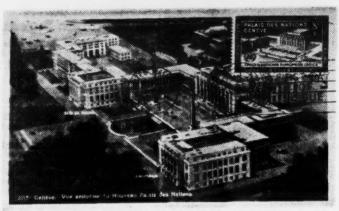
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### **Unlisted 1936 Palestine Variety Inverted Watermark On Five Mils**

**Bruce Conde** 

One day in 1946 Musa Salem Salameh went to the Jerusalem Post Office to mail some business letters.

Although a stamp collector, Mr. Salameh was in a hurry and in no mood for philatelic niceties, so he stopped by the coil machine and began plugging in 5 mils coins, tearing off the corresponding orange stamps of that value and slapping them on the letters.

One of the stamps fell upside down on a black account book he was carrying. To Salameh's surprise, on turning it over, it appeared that the Multiple Crown and Script C.A. watermark (Scott's wmk. 4, on page 482 of the 1954 combined catalogue) was inverted. combined catalogue) was inverted, that is, the crown was upside down and at the bottom of the stamp, the letters on top.



Tearing a few more copies from the mouth of the coil machine, he that indeed all the stamps of that coil appeared to have inverted watermarks.

As a Britain and Colonies collec-tor Mr. Salameh knew that Stanley Gibbons catalogues inverted and varieties at higher prices than the normal, but as a Palestinian specialist he knew that the stamps in his hand, carrying Gibbon's number 93a, as a coil, and Scott's number 67c, were not catalogued at all with inverted or sideways watermark.

mark.

He emptied his pockets — 350 mils. With these he bought a total of 70 copies. But other patrons kept a regular run on the machine for commercial letters, and he feared they would exhaust the supply, with the stamps not being recoverable. He called the supervisor, told him that as a collector he wished to purchase the rest of the coil as an interesting minor variety and asked if it could be removed and held for him to return immediately with the full face value price of the stamps.

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substituted. The last Salameh heard of the coil it was slated for "destruction" in accordance with the postmaster's report to higher authority duly describing the detection and removal of the "defective" stamp stock!

Salameh, who put half of his find on the market and distributed a half dozen of the remaining 35 copies to Palestine specialist friends as gifts, then began a search through his accumulation of used copies.

The basic coil stamp had been issued in 1936 and had been in extensive use for ten years at that time, but out of approximately 35,000 used copies of the 5 mils examined, only five or six inverted watermarks were discovered.

It is difficult to locate, for Pales-It is difficult to locate, for rates-tine coils are not imperforate either horizontally or vertically but reg-ularly perforated all around, and must be distinguished by the per-foration gauge only (14½ x 14 rath-er than 13½ x 14½), unless they are attached as vertical pairs or strips.

Here is an interesting and apparently extremely scarce variety for Palestine specialists, but the hunting will be difficult and the discoveries few and far between!

### Bixenman New Prexy Of Ridge Stamp Club

The Ridge Stamp Club, which meets alternately in Lakeland and Winter Haven, Florida, has elected A. E. Bixenman of Winter Haven as its new president.

Fred Stark of Lakeland has been named as vice president, and Donald Morgan, P. O. Box 1351, Winter Haven, secretary treasurer.

him to return immediately with the full face value price of the stamps.

Neither the supervisor nor the postmaster were philatelists or even possessed a sense of humor or of any imagination whatsoever.

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### Prelate Impressed With Vatican Display

Peter XV Cardinal Agagian-ian, Patriarch of Armenia and one of Catholicism's foremost prelates, declared that in all his global travels he had never before seen a stamp exhibition as thoroughly absorbing as the In-ternational Vatican-Marian Year show which he visited at the Na-tional Philatelic Museum, Phila-

Accompanied by Msgr. Furey of Archbishop John O'Hara's office and Rev. Anthony Ostheimer, editor of the Philadelphia "Standard and Times," the prelate passed more than an hour examining the philatelic treasures.

ures.

The exhibition, according to director Bernard Davis, has proven to exceed all expectations. Huge numbers of school children, accompanied by their teachers, came in groups on school time and adults who read the remarkable publicity articles that filled local papers following Cardinal Spellman's dedication on September 22, kept the museum filled. "More people came to the museum for the Vatican show than for all previous museum displays combined," he admitted. The initial supply of Vatican

The initial supply of Vatican books has been completely sold out, but an additional printing was run off. Copies, at \$3 each, are available either from the National Philatelic Museum, Broad and Diamond Sts., Philadelphia, Pa., or from Cardinal Spellman's philatelic curator, Rev. Sister M.

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The issue should delight all those whether children or adults, who have ever been charmed by the story of the little puppet made of wood who aspired to become a real-flesh-and-blood boy, for it features Pinocchio — long nose and all — against a background of children of all nations. The 25L carmine commemorative is inscribed "Onoranze Carlo Lorenzini Pescia Collodi 1954" (in Honor of Carlo Lorenzini, known as Colof Carlo Lorenzini, known as Col-

of Carlo Lorenzini, known as Collodi, 1954).
Carlo Lorenzini was the little-known (outside of Italy) author of "Pinocchio"; he took the penname of Collodi from the town where his mother was born. He, himself, was born on November 24, 1826, and died on October 26, 1890 having spent most of his life.

1890, having spent most of his life in and around the city of Florence. He served in various governmental posts, and was decorated for valor by the Italian Army. It was on his retirement from military service that he turned to writing for children; the first installment of "Pinocchio" appeared on July 7, 1881, in the "Giornale per Bambini" (Children's Journal) of Fernando Maria Martini.

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It is interesting to note that Collodi's brother, after his death, attempted a sequel to "Pinocchio" called "The Heart of Pinocchio". Somehow, this attempt at a follow-up lacked the charm of the original, and has never become propular.

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The unusual sheet arranged followed the same pattern as last year's issue. In a sheet of 100, the top, 3rd, 5th, 7th and 9th rows consisted of the "regular" seals showing a small child dancing in the center of a lacy outlined heart against a multicolored background of trees. At top and bottom are narrow black panels with white lettering and below the top panel appear the words "Heart Fund" in red letters outlined in white. All on a light blue background.

In the alternate rows, starting unusual sheet arranged fol-The

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In the alternate rows, starting with the 2nd from the top, the "odd seals were alternated with the "regular" seals across each of these rows. These "odd" seals, four different, each bear a different wording and are in a different wording and are in a different olor as follows: Red Heart on yellow background, "New Hope for Hearts"; pale blue, "Open Your Heart"; pale green, "Help Make Strong Hearts"; and pink. "Help Prevent Heart Disease".

### Philatelic Exhibition Tour To Europe In '55

Arrangements have been completed for a philatelic tour of Europe, via Scandinavian Airlines, with highlights being a conducted visit to "Stockholmia 55" the exhibition commemorating the centenary of the first Swedish stamp, and a visit to the Oslo exhibition, commemorating the Norwegian centenary. centenary.

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Dates for the Stockholm exhibi-tion are July 1 to 10. Those for Oslo are from June 4 through 12. A side trip to Copenhagen has been planned between the Oslo and Stockholm exhibitions. The tour is being arranged through A. C. Jensen at Sebok

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The price of \$2.50 as in the two previous supplements still prevails. Distribution will be made through the stamp departments of Gimbels Stores in New York, Philadelphia, and Milwaukee; Rich's, Atlanta; The J. L. Hudson Co., Detroit; Kauffmann's, Pittsburgh; Marshall Field & Co., Chicago; and Jordan Marsh, Boston. Those in areas not covered by the above may write directly to Minkus Publications, Inc., 116 W. 32nd St., New York 1, N.Y. The shipping weight of the supplement is 1½ pounds, and those ordering by mail should add postage. add postage.

### Regional Meeting Of ATA At ASDA Show

The American Topical Association will hold a regional meeting in New York City, during the A.S. D.A. Stamp Show, at the Armory, 34th St. and Park Ave. It is scheduled for 1 p.m. in the Lecture Hall Saturday afternoon, November 20. It will be held under the direction of vice president Allyn H. Wright.

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The feature of the session will be the presentation by Herbert Rosen of a film-strip entitled "Radio and TV on Stamps." This won the coveted Alma Cramer Trophy at TOPEX in Dayton last June, and this will be the first local show in g of the film-strip. This meeting is open to all interested meeting is open to all interested collectors, as well as A.T.A. mem-

### ASDA SHOW (Continued from page 1)

tors pertaining to making engraved postage stamps, and have at their disposal actual dies and plates which they freely show.

However, the stamps they print are well guarded, and subsequently destroyed.

Unless one wants to spend his or her entire time in the Lecture Hall, it will take some difficult deciding which of the programs are to be attended and which missed. Nearly every one of them is of compelling general interest. Some specialized programs have been prepared by specialist societies — those collecting in such fields will want to check these off as musts.

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Peter G. Keller, executive secretary of the ASDA, and general chairman of the show, has announced that Lincoln will be the theme of this exhibition. Under the direction of Bernard Davis, art director, a splendid display of Lincoln stamps and covers has of Lincoln stamps and covers has been provided for the Court of

Honor.

This material will comprise a massive display of 48 frames of stamps, covers and philatelic items of unusual appeal selected from the leading collections of Lincolniana throughout the United

In addition to the philatelic aspects of Lincoln, a special booth in the center of the Armory will have a large and diversified collection of historical material rela-

tive to the 16th president.

The ASDA Postage Stamp Show is the climax to National Stamp Collecting Week which begins on November 14 and continues to the

# Due December 1

December 1 will see the release of a new fifteen-value set of definitives by British Guiana. Some of them will be\* in two colors; a number of them will reproduce scenes previously used but from another angle.

another angle.

All will include a portrait of Queen Elizabeth — be printed on watermarked paper with "CA" script — and have their origin with Waterlow & Sons Ltd. of London. Production will be from engraved plates with the exception of the vignette on the \$1 which is by lithograph.

A I F. Davis Crown Acoute!

A. J. E. Davis, Crown Agent's' representative in Washington, D. C., submitted the following notes about the series.

Shown on the 1c is the new General Post Office at Georgetown in black. It was erected in 1952 to replace the previous one totally destroyed by fire in 1945.

2c — The Botannical Gardens in Georgetown, claimed to be the best in the Caribbean area. Color is green.

3c — Victoria Regia water lillies many of which bear leaves six feet in diameter. They were first dis-covered by Sir Robert Schom-burgk in 1840 at Gluck Island, Essequibo River. In olive green and russet.

4c — Indian Shooting Fish, a design which has been in use through several issues. Violet col-

5c — A map of the Northern coast of South America with British Guiana's place defined. In red

and black.
6c — This item in apple green

6c — This item in apple green pictures a rice combine harvesting a crop of the grain.
8c — This one shows sugar cane entering a factory for processing, one of the Colony's major industries. Blue color.

12c — A native felling a Greenheart tree, the hardest wood in the world, is depicted on this black and russet item.

and russet item.

24c — Bauxite mining, from which comes aluminum and some by-products, is pictured. Black and

Orange are the colors.

36c — Mount Roraima is the highest mountain in British Guiana, 9000 ft. It is the site of the tripartite boundary of the Colony, Brazil and Venezuela. In carmine and black

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72c — The Arapaima (Sudis Gigas) shown on this stamp is the largest fresh water fish in the world, attaining a length of 15 feet. It is found in the Rupunnuni River. Colors of rose and emerald.

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\$2 — Dredging for Gold on the Potaro River is seen on this one. Color is magenta

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BOLIVIA C27-34 used (1930). The complete 1930 issue picturing airplans, river boat, and bullock cart, on flown cover. Catalog val. \$2.35 for used stamps alone. OUR PRICE \$1.53.

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GREECE 648-53 mint (1941-2). Possible for tage Due stamps surcharged with airplane and new values. Nice overprint item. Cat. val. \$1.27, OUR PRICE \$.42.

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BULGARIA 358-9 mint (1940). Very gradient topical item. Pictures first Bulgarian stamp on modern stamp commemorating 100th anniversary of Bulgaria's first postage stamp. Cat. Val. \$1.00. OUR PRICE \$.747.

SELGHUM B233-40 mint (1939) Very

BULGARIA C19-30 mint (1940). Very beautiful airmail photogravure set of all different designs picturing planes over various scenes in Bulgaria. Excellent color. Cat. val. \$7.58. OUR PRICE \$2.60.

CAMEROONS C15-25 mint (1946). A very popular French Col. item picturing seaplane, plane, and map, etc. Originally issued in France in 1941 by the Vichy Govt. but not sold in Cameroons until after the war. Cat. val. \$1.92. OUR PRICE \$.84.

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DUTCH INDIES B42-47 mint (1939) Very fine charitable topical item. Pictures nurse feeding ailing man, and social workers. Nice colors. Cat. val. \$3.25. OUR PRICE \$1.08.

FIUME 196-207 and E16-17 mint (1924). A nice dead country item. 1923 stamps overprinted in Italian. Check cat. for historical designs and unusual overprint. Cat. \$1.96. OUR PRICE \$4.65.

FRENCH EQUAT. AFR. C10, 12-15 mint (1940-41). All most collectors will want of this set. Earlier issue bi-colored airplane stamps overprinted for Free French use. Does not include the remaining two in this set which catalog \$60.00. Cat. val. \$5.15. OUR PRICE \$1.72.

GERMANY 490-91 mint (1939). 1939 issue picturing Nazl emblem. Issued in commemoration of the Young Workers Professional Competition. Cat. val. \$1.25. OUR PRICE \$.42.

GERMANY B82a & 83a mint (1936). Very fine sports booklet pane, pic-turing sports scenes. Commemor-ates summer Olympic games in Ber-lin in 1936. Cat. \$3.50. OUR PRICE \$1.15.

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HAITI C14-18 mint (1942). One of the most popular of all religious topical Items. Very beautifully en-graved stamps picturing The Pa-tron Saint of Haiti, map, and Coat of Arms. Peally beautiful. Cat. val. \$2.60. OUR PRICE \$.87.

HONDURAS 318-21 mint (1933). How one of Mrs. Williams' boys got in on this deal, we don't know, but this is the 1933 issue commemorating the inauguration of Pres. Tiburico Carias Andino, and Vice-Pres. Abe Williams. Cat. val. \$1.20. OUR PRICE \$.40.

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JUGOSLAVIA B43-45 mint (1934). A sports topical item missing from many such topicals. Attractive stamps picturing athlete and eagle. Cat. val. \$4.50. OUR PRICE \$1.50.

JUGOSLAVIA B46-47 mint (1935).

Nice children's topical item, picturing Mother & children in snow scene. Reminds you of Uncle Tom's Cabin or East Lynn. Cat. val. \$1.50.

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LATVIA 2N45-57 used (1940). Very colorful set of Coat of Arms, pic-turing the Arms of Soviet Latvia. Issued under the Pussian Occupa-tion in 1940. Cat. val. \$2.53. OUR PRICE \$.90.

LIBERIA 330-31 & C07 mint imperf (1950). Imperf varieties of the very attractive Liberian UPU issue. Protures the UPU monument at Berne and the first UPU building in Berne. Cat. val. \$2.95. OUR PRICE \$.08.

LIBERIA 332-7 & C68-9 mint (1952). Absolutely one of the most beautiful of all modern issues. Superb color-ing. Pictures Liberian patriots, maps, etc. Colors are superb. Cat. val. \$2.25. OUR PRICE \$.75.

LUXEMBOURG NI-32 and NBI-9 mint (1940-41). Stamps of Luxembourg overprinted for the German Occupation of this country. The complete 1940-41 issues. Cat. val. \$7.14. OUR PRICE \$2.38.

MADAGASCAR 255-8 mint (1944). The 1944 issue complete. This is the Travelers Tree issue surcharged with new values. Cat. val. \$1.25. OUR PRICE \$.42.

MALDIVE ISLANDS 20-30 mint (1951-53). A new country that took a terrific jump in values in this last issue. Might be a good one to buy, as it might get better. A good buy at this price. Cat. val. \$6.45. OUR PRICE \$3.25.

MEXICO 792-5 & C143-7 mint (1945). Very attractive large size stamps pleturing hands holding the globe. Commemorates Inter-American Conference at Chapultepec in 1945. A good buy at this price. Cat. val. \$19.05. OUR PRICE \$10.79.

MEXICO 801-4 & C148-52 mint (1945). Very attractive large size square stamps picturing the Theatre of La Paz (Theater of Peace) issued to aid reconstruction of the Theater at San Luis Potosi. A fair value at this price. Cat. val. \$19.10. OUB PRICE \$10.38.

MONACO 30-32 mint (1891-1921). An older item from this very popular miniature country whose area is about as large as one nedicks stand plus one telephone booth. This is a good surcharge item picturing Prince Albert I of Monaco. Cat. val. \$2.25. OUR PRICE \$.75.

MONACO 40-49 mint (1922-4). An attractive older set picturing scenes in Monaco. Cat. val. \$6.70. OUR PRICE \$2.39.

MONACO B2-6 mint (1919). Early semi-postal item from popular Mon-aco. The most you will want of this set, as the remaining 2 catalog \$51.00. Cat. val. \$5.90. OUR PRICE \$1.97.

MOZAMBIQUE COMPANY 175-93 mint (1937). A very attractive set from one of the most popular of the dead countries. All bi-colored. In-cludes triangles, native scenes, ani-mals, etc. Very colorful set. Cat. val. \$4.93. OUR PRICE \$1.64.

MOZAMBIQUE COMPANY C1 - 15 mint (1935). The complete 1935 air-mail issue, all bi-colors, picturing airplane over the capital of Mozam-bique Company. Cat. val. \$7.78. OUR PRICE \$2.59.

NEW ZEALAND B18-19 mint (1941). Attractive childrens topical item. Pictures children in play, overprint-ed for use in 1941. Cat. val. \$1.60. OUR PRICE \$.67.

NICARAGUA C272-6 mint (1946). One of the most popular of the Roo-sevelt topical items. Pictures Roose-velt signing Declaration of War against Japan. Gen. Giraud, Roose-velt. de Gaulle, & Churchill. Also Stalin, Roosevelt & Churchill. Cat. val. \$11.60. OUR PRICE \$5.65.

POLAND 3KI-S mint (1941). Very attractive World War II topical item. Pictures ruins of the U. S. Embassy in Warsaw, submarines, machine gunners, tanks, etc. Used for correspondence on Polish ships and in Polish military camps in Britain. Very historical set. Cat. val. \$3.08.

### RUSSIA

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Have you ever given thought to what makes certain plate blocks scarce? When are they really scarce and why? Too often really scarce and why? Too often certain plate numbers, as well as certain issues, get the "scarce" label attached to them through wild and uncontrolled rumors. If we would stop to analyze the damage we cause to ourselves and to others by being a party to circulating rumors of certain plate numbers falling into the scarce group, we would do a lot more to control this condition.

At all times, both the plate

At all times, both the plate block collector, as well as the dealer, may admit the following facts. Each collector would very much like to have scarce plate blocks in his collection. At the some time he would even resent the thought of paying the extra the thought of paying the extra and heavy premium for these very same plate blocks before he gets them into his possession.

The dealer, likewise, would want to have a large stock of hard to get numbers, if he could buy them in low, but would hesitate to buy many if he was faced with the necessity of paying a high premium. high premium.

Usually the rumors begin cir-Usually the rumors begin circulating about scarcity of plate numbers long before all the facts are fully known, and when a collector meets another at the club, or in his home, he is dying with eagerness to give him the great and startling news about his recent discovery. At that moment, full with pent up emotion, it seems too much to expect from him, to check the authenticity of the impending terrific news. His friend is all ears to hear of this the impending terrific news. His friend is all ears to hear of this remarkable find. He too will become a voluntary missionary to carry on this choice morsel of philatelic gossip, without exactly checking into its wholesomeness or validity.

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or validity.

It almost goes without saying that the individual who carries the ball, should he by chance happen to have one or more specimens of these plate blocks, which have suddenly become rare in the minds of these few, then you can rest assured that the poet releases of this story when next rehearsal of this story, when repeated to other new collectors, will be at least slightly exaggerated, and its value padded a little thicker than on its first ora-

And so it goes, on and on, gathering momentum like a snowball down the hill. At that stage, the plate number in question has al-ready done much damage to the collectors and dealers at large, all over the country wherever this one is collected. The damage becomes increasingly large as the circulation of this rumor keeps growing.

crutation of this rumor keeps growing.

Many of us, I know, find it difficult to decide what label they would prefer on a plate block in their collection. If you feel that most of your plate blocks are common and available at all times, then it appears you have little to boast about in the way of having scarce items. On the other hand, who would like to feel that a certain plate block is scarce, for which you have to pay a high price, when you don't have it in your collection?

Therefore, would not the true facts and just appraisal be more helpful in determining values and scarcities in plate blocks? The two determining factors are: how many specimens were printed.

scarcities in plate blocks? The two determining factors are: how many specimens were printed, and how many collectors are there trying to get them? Generally speaking, when the government prints an issue, every attempt is being made so that enough plate blocks can be had, to go around to everyone, with to go around to everyone, with many left over. This is as it should be. Unfortunately, not all

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the facts are available in this instance. For example, as soon as an issue comes off the press, the government publishes both the number of stamps that have been printed, as well as the num-ber of impressions made from each plate

The second factor of how many plate block collectors are trying to get the various numbers and positions is rather difficult to determine. At best, rough estimates

Aside from this there are many other factors that enter into it. The Post Office Department cannot concern itself completely with the needs and requirements of sheets and plate blocks for collectors. We do have a philatelic agency which, depending on the demand, will receive a fair amount of sheets, which they go through for extra select centering. Just what the percentage is that is retained cannot be ascertained. Aside from this there are many is retained cannot be ascertained. is retained cannot be ascertained. Many sheets go into normal channels of postage throughout the country, and the particular numbers and positions is of no significance to the consumer.

It is true that in different parts of the country, in many post of-fices, collectors will approach the stamp windows in hope of secur-ing certain issues, plate numbers, positions, and even centering on the above, but while we are really in the dark on what is actually consumed in postage, what remains to be sold into philatelic circles is also undetermined.

circles is also undetermined.

Perhaps another way to draw reasonable conclusions would be the following. In recent years, most of the large size commemoratives, 50 to a sheet, have been authorized for a printing of 110,000,000 stamps. With this size of printing, normally four or six plate numbers are required for the complete run. This year, 1954 for example, all the commemorafor example, all the commemora-tive issues of the large size stamps needed only four plate numbers for the complete run.

For the purpose of illustration,

For the purpose of illustration, let's assume that each set of two plate numbers that went to press were used for 50% of the run. On this basis, the printing would be such as to have a maximum of 137,500 matched sets, in all numbers and all positions. That amount is considerably more than enough to last far, far in excess of the normal amount required to of the normal amount required to complete sets for all matched plate block collectors.

The attempt in this article is mainly to encourage greater resistance and indifference on the part of collectors and dealers, so that they may not, overnight, be driven with fright and hysteria into running after a certain plate number and cause an unfair and unjust inflation.

The harm thus caused, when

someone buzzes into your ear that this stamp or plate number is really scarce, may leave a false is really scarce, may leave a raise impression with many collectors, who may not be around to be informed of the real truth of this number when all the facts have been gathered together and made available.

On the other hand, this is not to imply that no issue or plate to imply that no issue or plate number merits a degree of scarcity rating. Water doesn't have to be either too hot or too cold. It can be found in various degrees of warmth and coolness. Likewise, when it becomes known that certain plate numbers have small or very short runs, and if they warrant the same great demand as their companion plate they warrant the same great demand as their companion plate numbers that have been printed in larger quantities, there may be a reasonable justification for a premium, commensurate with the demand for this number and its availability. Yet it would be in the best interest of all collectors to resist sudden higher premiums in trying to obtain such plate. to resist sudden higher premiums in trying to obtain such plate numbers, as well as in the best interest of the stamp dealers, not to offer excessive premiums for these, which would make it equally easier for them to dedispose these less common plate numbers when offered at a small premium. premium.

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In conclusion, I would like to suggest that collectors hesitate, with caution, about premature reports relative to scarce plate numbers and, above all, when you are in doubt about certain numbers being plentiful, don't hesitate to compromise with centering, for that, more frequently than not, has much to do with whether certain numbers and powhether certain numbers and po-sitions may be common or not, the idea being that when you suspect a short run on any plate number, try to get it as soon as available and if not satisfactory in centering, attempt to replace it at a later date.

### Two Day Exhibition Of Polish Stamps In NYC

two-day display of Polish stamps and covers has been announced by the Polish Philatelic Club (Polonica) for November 20 and 21. It will be staged at the Kosciuszko Foundation, 15 E. 65th St. in New York City.

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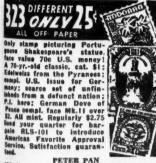
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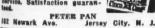
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On both the North and South Rim there are many good hotels and lodges where you can have a marvelous view of the canyon and also see the colorful costumes and handwork of the Hopi, Navaho, and Havasupai Indians. En route to North Rim, one passes through Kaibab Forest, the largest virgin forest in the United States, at an elevation of 7500 to 9300 feet.

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December's crop will begin with a set of two for the 70th birth anniversary of president Zapotocky, 30 and 60h, both of which will also be used in a souvenir sheet having a face of 1.60Kcs. The 75th birth anniversary of Josef Stalin will be noted with three—and 20h, 30h and 60h.

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set will be issued commemorating the first official visit of King Baudouin to the Belgian Congo.

CUBA — On December 3 the Tuberculosis seals of this country will be issued. The seals will be in booklet panes, in three different colors and will be available to collectors.

DENMARK — In commemorating of the 1,000th Anniversary of the Kingdom, a set of two stamps will be issued on November 18. Values and colors are to be: 10 ore green and 60 ore dark blue. The 10 ore value pictures the manor house of Spottrup and the 60 ore pictures the Goose Tower at Vordingborg. The set was designed by Primus Nielsen and engraved by Ben Jacobsen.

JAPAN — On October 13, two stamps were issued commemorating the 75th anniversary of Japan becoming a member of the International Telecommunication Union. (This Union is now a specialized Agency of the United Nations Organization) The 5 yen dark purple-brown shows the Morse key in use 75 years ago. The 10 yen blue pictures the International Telecommunications Union monument in Berne, Switzerland.

SPAIN — On November 1, a sixvalue set of stamps was issued for pro Tuberculosis. Values and designs are: 5c plus 5c, stork on tower; 10c, family group; 25c (airmail value), airplane over the ocean; 50c plus 10c, father and child and 5 plus 2 Pts., a "morabo", chapel of a convent.

TRIESTE (Zone B) — The Jugoslavia set of four values, marking the "First Insurrection of the Serbs", 150 years ago, has been issued, in different colors and overprinted "STT VUJNA". The colors and values are: 15d, reddish-brown ochre and blue; 30d blue, bluegreen and reddish-brown; 50d yellow, red, gray-brown and brown and 70d green, light green and yellow brown.

A 500d airmail stamp has been added to the current series. The

and 70d green, light green and yel-low brown.

A 500d airmail stamp has been added to the current series. The design shows an aerial view of Belgrade.

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### Ecuadorian Stamps Not Rated A Scott's Listing

J. F. McGee

When I started this article, my impulse was to caption it, "Issuance of Fake Types of Ecuadorian Stamps Permissible in the Republic". It must be conceded that the unlisted stamps that I describe had their origin in Ecuador.

1823. First Quito - Ibarra Airplane Flight. — These stamps supposedly were issued to commemorate this event. The machine was the biplane "Syria", which made the trip on July 17, 1923. The government apparently went to town in providing philatelic souvenirs of the occasion. The overprint is a picture of a biplane in flight. The name of the plane on the stamp was changed to "Ecuador".

The stamps overprinted are of the regular set of twenty regulars of the 1920 issue, and the same set with the imprint, "Oficial". The plane on some stamps is in black and on others, in red. I suppose flown covers bearing copies

pose flown covers bearing copies exist, but I have no knowledge of any of them.



that the three My notes stamps of the 1915-17 set were also overprinted with the plane. But I

1944. Hospital Mendez Overprints. The overprints are on the stamps issued to commemorate the visit to the United States of President Arroyo del Rio of Ecuador. They Arroyo del Rio of Ecuador. They comprise the set of six regulars, and the set of five airmails. The overprint consists of "Hospital-Mendez" in two lines and surtaxes of from 10c to \$2.00 added to the values. (Ecuadorian P. O. D. sometimes uses the U. S. dollar sign to designate the "sucre." I have two revenue stamps with the revalues. "0, 25 dollar" and "0.50 dollar")



The surtaxes were for the benefit of the hospital. American collectors at the time purchased the sets as bona fide government issues. Scott's does not even mention the storms.

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1947. Provisional Airmails and
Official Stamps — In the latter
part of August 1947, a Colonel Macheno pulled a fast one on the
people of Ecuador by seizing supreme power. His act was countered by an armed revolt that drove
him from the office. Dr. Suares him from the office. Dr. Suares Veintimella, the vice president was then installed as president.

The new president wanted to send the patriotic news of the restora-tion of authority and order to of-ficials in all parts of Ecuador, and requested the issuance of special airmail stamps for his official let-

ters.
The stamps selected to be converted were of the U. S. Constitution airmail set of 1938. They were the 50c, 1s and 2s. The overprint is in dark blue and consists of a plane and the patriotic slogan, "Primero la Patria." which in Spanish is "Our Country First."
The Equadrium Philatelia Socia

Spanish is "Our Country First."

The Ecuadorian Philatelic Society after an investigation of the status of the stamps, reportedly stated that they were issued and used before an official decree auhorized them. Nevertheless the stamps were accepted as valid by post offices in Ecuador, and they prepaid postage on letters to foreign countries, especially to the U.S.

The plane and the slogan were also overprinted on the three official stamps of 1947. I have an official cover of the president of Ecuador that bears the three of-

ficial cover of the president of Ecuador that bears the three official stamps. But it is unaddressed and the postmarks of course are the over-the-counter kind. Scott's men tion these stamps but does not list

1949. Official Stamps with Por-1949. Official Stamps with Portrait of Roosevelt — This series of twenty stamps and eight miniature sheets could be called eye and purse openers — American eyes and purses. Indeed, a non-collector in glancing over this group of stamps would be apt to conclude that Ecuadorians had adopted Eranklin D. Roosevelt as the feth. ## Translin D. Roosevelt as the father of their country, especially as all the stamps and sheets are for official use and bear his portrait.

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portrait which is in black on all of them. They are all of the same val-ue, 30c. The design includes besides the portrait, an outline of the west-ern coast of South America, with the position of Ecuador marked, and a plane in flight.



The stamps are all inscribed 'Aereo'', but the stamps of ten sheets were transformed into ordin. are all inscribed ry stamps by overprinting the 'Aereo' with the word "Postal" in

black.

Nine of the stamps for ordinary postage are initialled for the use of the various governmental departments, and seven of the airmails ikewise

The departments so favored are the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, of Education, of Defense, of Finance, of Economy, of Sanitation, of Public Works and of Social Security. (There may be stamps lettered for other ministries that I do have). The stamps were first offered to

American collectors by dealers in Ecuador in June 1949. The so-called miniature sheets appeared a couple of months later. The subjects of each of the small sheets consists of a stamp of the design I described described.

Four of the sheets, two for ordin-Four of the sneets, two for ordinary postage, and two for airmail, are reserved for the use of the president, and have imprinted below the stamp, "Presidencia de la Republica", in two lines. The inscription is in red on the two sheets for ordinary postage, and in blue on the airmails. The stamp and the inscription are enclosed in a single line bronze frame, leaving wide margins outside. margins outside.

margins outside.

A similar set of four sheets were produced for the vice president. They are imprinted beneath the stamp, "Vicepresidencia de al Republica", in two lines. Airmail sheets are of a 60c value.

In September six of the miniature sheets were overprinted, "Dia de sheets were overprinte

In September six of the miniature sheets were overprinted, "Dia de Gratitud Nacional a la Paises de America Setiembre 17 - 49". (The sentence reads according to my Spanish, "Day of National Gratitude to the Countries of America, September 17, 1949".) The thanks was for the aid to the victims of the then recent earthquake in Ecuador, U. S. planes in the Canal Zone flew in tents. blankets and other flew in tents, blankets and other supplies.
1935. Columbus Pan-American So-

ciety Issue — These stamps are of a different class than the others I described. But they have one thing in common. They are not listed and priced by Scott's.



This Columbus society professed an interest in the building of the Columbus Memorial Lighthouse in the Dominican Republic. It was re-ported at the time that the society

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niversary of the discovery of the Americas by Columbus.

The society certainly must have expected to profit financially in some way through the stamps. Maybe the agreements provided it would receive the remainders, and if that were the case it would have if that were the case, it would have seen to it that there would be plenty of leftovers to sell to collec-

The governments of Colombia and Ecuador were the only two that could be sold on the proposition. In the case of Colombia, local stamp collectors denounced the deal. It was also reported that when the parcel of stamps was received. the parcel of stamps was received in Colombia and opened, there were so many imperforates and other errors, that the stamps were rejected.
Ecuador accepted its shipment of

Ecuador accepted its shipment of stamps, a set of five ordinary postage, values of 5c to 2s, and a set of five airmails, values 5c to 5s. By official decree the stamps became valid for postage on October 12, 1935 and through to the end of the month. The issue was popular in Ecuador and all but supplanted the use of other stamps during the per-

Therefore specialists in Ecuador should not find postally used copies too scarce and high priced.

Ecuadorian Essays — There exists quite a number of sets and singles of essays of Ecuadorian stamps of types that never were issued. They include ordinary

stamps, airmails and telegraphs. Japan Announces New Year's Cards

November 15 is the first day of issue of Japan's New Year postal cards each series bearing numbers in the national lottery.

One, a 5 yen, will have an imprinted stamp in red picturing a Japanese hand drum like that used in a Noh play. 1 yen of this sum will be set aside for the Community Chest.

The other issue will have but a 4 yen imprinted stamp.

yen imprinted stamp.

For Stamp Collecting Week a pane of ten yen stamps will be issued on November 20. The design is the goddess Kannon of the regulars. Only 50,000 panes will be issued

### Siam Uses Overprint For UN Day Commem

The United Nations Day commem Siam issued in 1951 has been used again in 1954 for the same purpose as its original. It is a dark blue and ultramarine with the UN emblem within an oval and having a face value of 25 satangs.

Release date was October 24. According to H. C. Teng, P. O. Box 168, Bangkok, Siam, this is the fourth time the stamp has been used thus. In both 1952 and 1953, as well as the 1954, the stamp was overprinted in carmine with the respective year date.

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Dr. Wayne C. Grover, Archivist of the United States, Washington, D. C., has made the famous document available as part of the Lincoln celebration that will mark the issuance of a new 4c stamp honoring Lincoln at the show on Friday morning, November 19, at 10 o'clock.

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19, at 10 o'clock.

This date is also the 91st anniversary of the Gettysburg Address.

Many notables from national, state and city organizations will attend the first-day ceremony, and unveiling of the document in the "Lincoln Room" at the exhibition. There will also be a display of Lincolniana from the Lincoln Museum, Washington.

The Emancipation Proclamation's two pages are sealed in Lucite panes, to prevent air deterioration, and handling. On exhibition at the National Postage Stamp Show, it will be housed in a flat glass frame, waist high, so that it will be readily in view to the thousands expected at the exhibition. Federal guards, private protective agents, and members of the 71st Infantry Regiment will guard the display, in addition to Post Office guards, who will be in attendance to protect a \$1,000,000 United States Post Office stamp display.

The Emancipation Proclamation,

attendance to protect a \$1,000,000 United States Post Office stamp display.

The Emancipation Proclamation, as announced by President Lincoln freed slaves in the territory then under control of the United States or United States armed forces who were then embroiled in the Civil War, and foreshadowed the complete abolition of slavery in the United States upon the end of that internecine struggle. Its public display outside the National Archives, Washington, or on the Freedom Train tour, is the first outside a federal building, and was brought about through the efforts of Franklin R. Bruns, Jr., Curator Philatelic Division, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, and Peter G. Keller, Executive Officer of the American Stamp Dealers' Association.

The Lincoln Museum exhibition from Washington, presented through the cooperation of Randle B. Truett, Chief, National Memorials and Historic Sites Section, National Capital Parks, will include, among other items, a play bill of 'Our American Cousin' the play Mr. Lincoln was watching when he was shot by Booth; a large political poster used when he ran for the Presidency; a bronzed life mask of the martyr president, and other items never before released for display outside of Washington.

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In addition to the displays of the Emancipation Proclamation, the "Lincoln Room", and the United States Post Office Department's stamp display, thousands of other stamps will be shown during the three-day exhibition and bourse, which is expected to draw up to 100,000 persons. In 1953 a record 65,000 visited the show.

The show opens at 10 o'clock on Friday morning, November 19, and at the same time on Saturday morning, closing both nights at 10 o'clock. On Sunday, November 21, the show opens at 12 noon, and closes at 8 p.m.

### Precancelers Elect, Announce Round-Up

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of executive officer, Peter G. Keller, with the warm support of the incumbent presidents and other officers of the organization.

The general public came to the first show in large numbers and has continued to come in increasing numbers in each succeeding show. Of course the resources on which to base these shows has depended on the phenomenal growth of the A.S.D.A. In recent years.

Founded in 1914, 40 years ago, the A.S.D.A. had as few as 200 members in 1946. The most recent announced total membership is in excess of 750 and the slogan now is 1000 A.S.D.A. members by 1955.

Although the support and assistance of the national officers of the A.S.D.A. has made the organization of these chapters possible, their popularity, progress and growth have on their part contributed to the success of the A.S.D.A. as a whole. The holding of shows in Boston and Chicago, the prospect of additional shows in Los Angeles and possibly in other parts of the country, indicates that these Chapters are not mere geographical divisions of the organization, but individually inspired groups of professional philatelists bent on serving their profession to the best of their ability. That they have done so, and that spired groups of professional pinicatelists bent on serving their profession to the best of their ability. That they have done so, and that they will continue to do so, there is no doubt, and it is a striking commentary on the life and virility of the organization that it is now a truly national one with members everywhere.

Peter G. Keller, the executive officer, has been the leading figure in the recent history of the A.S.D.A. The growth of the organization, the formation of Chapters, the general prosperity is contributed to his untiring efforts and unflagging zeal in a very large measure.

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So highly regarded has his efforts been that this year the organization itself has accorded the signal honor of designating him the guest of honor of the annual dinner which will be held at the Advertising Club New York.

Historically the A.S.D.A. was founded in 1914 with Max Ohlman, presently a patriarch of the A.S.D.A. and still an active dealer, as president.

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In the years that followed many prominent men have served as chief officer of the A.S.D.A. They are Max Ohlman, John A. Klemann, Eugene Klein, H. F. Colman, Charles Severn, J. M. Bartels, Hugh M. Clark, J. J. Klemann Jr., Sidney F. Barrett, Emil Bruechig, Norman Serphos, Peter G. Keller, Edson J. Fifield, Herbert F. Reuben, and John A. Fox.

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The North Jersey Precancel Club meets in the Orange Y.M.C.A.
125 Main St., Orange, N.J., on the second and fourth Friday eveings of each month. Collectors are always welcomed.

Plans have been completed for the annual Precancel Round-up to be held at the Robert Treat Hotel, Newark, N.J. on Sunday, January 30. Last year's Round-up atgreat part of the time was in the U. S. Army and the Bulletin was

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BRITISH GUIANA. On December 1, British Guiana will release a new definitive issue of 15 stamps from 1c to \$5.00. Stamps of the current series will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on November 30.

NORTH BORNEO. This country has released an &c Elizabeth stamp which is an addition to the five odd values already issued. It is presumed that eventually there will be a complete set of Elizabeth stamps

CEYLON. On December 1 Ceylon will issue a new 10c stamp and this value of the current issue will be withdrawn from sale.

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ST. KITTS-NEVIS. Five new high value stamps of the Elizabeth Series will be released on December 1. They are 24c, 48c, 60c, \$1.20 and \$4.80. Previously issued were 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 12c which with the five high values coming, will make a series of 12 stamps from 1c to \$4.80. It is to be hoped that this is the complete Elizabeth set.

that this is the complete Elizabeth set.

BECHUANALAND. On January 1 Bechuanaland will release a new definitive issue of 11 stamps as follows: ½d, 1d, 2d, 3d, 4½d, 6d, 1/-, 1/3, 2/6, 5/- and 10/. Stamps of the current issue will be withdrawn from sale at the close of business on December 31.

WITHDRAWALS. The following stamps will be withdrawn from sale on dates shown. Malea Dogma Immaculate Conception, Dec. 7, Zanzibar Sultan's Birthday, November 25.

AUSTRALIA. Scott's 1955 Catalogue gives advanced prices for most of the stamps of Australia. All issues are included in the higher prices, beginning with No. 3 which went from \$1.25 to \$1.75. Other intersting increases are No. 58 and 59 each of which were advanced from \$85.00 to \$10.00. No. 95 went from 75c to 90c, 101-102 from \$97.50 to \$117.50, No. 139 from 30c to 60c, No. 141 from 75c to \$1.25, 147-149 from \$3.15 to \$4.50, 197-199 from 60c to 75c, 210 from 6c to 12c, No. 230 from 3c to 10c, No. 233 from 10c to 25c, continuing to C4 from \$1.50 to \$2.50 and C5 from 75c to 90c.

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William Hornadge's "Stamp

News," the dynamic new Austra-lian tabloid hobby journal, launches an attack on the custom of follow-

ing cheaply.

Most pungent of all is the sen-

tence declaring that the prices in Gibbons are largely mythical quotations, in many instances in no way whatsoever related to true values. The editorial calls upon deal-

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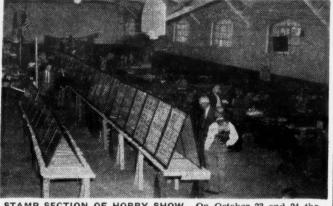
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The Engros Stamp Company of New York has been selling Norway and France 5c Flags mint in 100 sheet lots below face—\$249 per 100 sheets, to be exact. Many speculative holdings are constantly cropping up at discount from face and are bought up by large mailers who like to discount their postage bills. This gets a lot of unused stuff, which would depress the market, out of the way in graceful ket, out of the way in graceful manner and no one suffers save the reckless plunger who bought quanities "to put Junior through col-lege" and then, when pressed for cas" (an operation pending, a new car needed or what have you) found he couldn't get face. The worst beating is taken when such stuff is sold even n bit above face at auction and the unhappy holder has to pay 20 percent sales com-

Excerpt from a letter from one of the trade's most important figures: "A very heavy percentage of so-called stamp collectors are not stamp buyers but rather people who collect stamps for a hobby. I who collect stamps for a hobby. I would say that at least seven out of every ten so-called stamp collectors never spend a nickel in the course of a year for their collections—they get the stamps from family or friends' mail and have a grand time trading dupes. Actually, they probably get a whole lot more pleasure out of it than do the big buyers with philatelic secretaries and commercial artists paid \$10 an attack on the custom of following the Stanley Gibbons prices in general force throughout the British Empire-Commonwealth. In an editorial headed "Time to Milk a Sacred Cow", the News declares that the Gibbons Catalogue is merely the London firm's price list and charges that, because the Gibbons firm lost a big proportion of it's stocks in the "blitz", prices on foreign material have deliberately been kept down as a means of buying cheaply. ies and commercial artists paid \$10 a page to write the material up in fancy lettering."

Harmer, Rooke (London)'s cur-Harmer, Rooke (London)'s current wholesale auction embraces a valuable consignment of "Prize" stamps seized from alien enemies during the last war and offered by order of the Admiralty Marshal on behalf of the Trinidad Prize Court, and two London dealers' stocks. What an affair it is—10,000 sets of that high sets of this, 5000 sets of that, high values by the dozen and hundred, and collections, boxes, bundles and suitcases of other things! One can even usually find a few dozen 1847 5c and 10 on such occasions and no wonder that these sales attract buyers from most parts of the continent. American buyers seldom attend in person, preferring to do their buying through an agent.

It's really quite an experience, bidding on "Large accumulation in suitcase, comprising collections in suitcase, comprising collections in albums, remainders on leaves, old auction lots, quantities of loose stamps in boxes and envelopes," or "750 envelopes of reserve stocks made up about 1910—labels have dropped off". Nobody knows what's involved and nobody cares—the object is to liquidate them without a lot of coethy handling. lot of costly handling

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rors and all that, and that not one of them ever paid postage on one bit of mail of any kind anywhere in the world. No comparison between the two groups of material is possible. is possible.

Just why an annual catalogue anyhow? One costs from \$6 to \$9 according to the one used (Scott, Gibbons, Michel, Yvert) and this is a substantial portion of the average collector's stamp allowance. The chief use for a catalogue is to classify stamps by issue and, save for new emissions which are easy enough to follow, there's no reason to buy one year by year. As everybody knows, "catalogue val-ue" means very little in this day and age when most catalogues are no longer leading firms' pricelists as they used to be and, anyhow, the simple fact is that most collectors aren't interested in the "val ue" of their items—they get too much fun out of playing with them.

There are probably less than 400,-There are probably less than 400,-000 stamp collectors in the country in any real sense of the term and, while trade figures are naturally secret, it's a safe bet that far less than 40,000 complete catalogues of all kinds a year are sold here in the USA. That means that not one col-lector in ten buys one any given season and they get along very season and they get along very nicely that way. I myself buy one about every five years, when the one I've been using finally wears out, and most everybody I know does the same.

As a matter of fact, Gibbons in Britain publishes Volumes II (Europe and European Colonies, and III (The Americas, Asia and Africa) of its 3-volume catalogue in alternate years, staggering them; the Overseas Michel in Germany ap-pears only every once in a while (the 1952 one will be current until 1956, when the next one is expected); the Sanabria Airmail volume here now comes out only every other year; so does the Silombra Airmail one in France; and Minkus, who is not bringing out a new USA Specialized this autumn, is apparently doing the same.

this and early next year. Subscribers who expected but one volume for their \$56 are certainly getting the big book bargain of the year. Ever since the ruling covering the George VI collection book, to the effect that only reproductions of stamps still valid for postage are prohibited, about 99.999 percent of the reference material so eager-It makes sense and it's a safe bet that, in every country including our own, only the volume covering national issues will come out each year while the other one (or, more likely, the other two), will appear less frequently. In a generation there will probably be no more general catalogues at all but, rather, a series of country specialist handbooks without prices and ist handbooks without prices and good, with occasional supplements, until worn out, accompanied by a list of current market values.

> Lucile Buchanan of Springfield, Mo., columnist for the "Stamp Wholesaler," whose financial arti-cles are quoted throughout the cles are quoted throughout the stamp world, is slowly recovering from a serious automobile acci-dent hospitalizing both her hus-band and herself for the summer, after having been run into by a reckless driver.

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Germany Borsig 1v
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### Gannett's Got'Em Display To Show Stamp Printing

One of the major attractions at each year's N a t i o a l Postage Stamp Show is a "live" demonstration — conducted by an operative of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing — of how a postage stamp is produced on a flatbed press. At the coming 6th ASDA National Postage Stamp Show sponsored by the American Stamp Dealers' Association, the postal item selected by the Post Office Department to be the object of flatbed demonstration is the logical choice — the lavendar 4c stamp, with portrait of Abraham Lincoln, in the new Liberty series. This is the stamp which will be given first-day sale in New York on November 19 — with the official ceremonies opening the show. Railed-in space on the floor of the Armory has been reserved for a flatbed press which philately-conscious Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield has authorized to be sent to New York by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. This printing job will be visible from all four sides of the square enclosure, and the assigned Bureau operative will answer any and all questions asked by curious viewers. Last year literally thousands of queries were hurled at the operative.

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The Bureau of Engraving and Printing's exhibit will be in charge of Chester J. Harucki, Asst. Superintendent of the Postage Stamp Division. Rayburn Keagy will demonstrate the art of plate printing and Richard M. Bower that of engraving.

### Well Illustrated U. S. Price List

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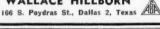
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-Photo, St. Paul Dispatch

### **Smithsonian Rarities At ASDA** National Postage Stamp Show

The Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C. will exhibit twelve frames of selected material at the sixth annual A.S.D.A. stamp exhibition at the 71st Infantry Regiment Armory, New York

Half of the display will highlight the very recent "find" of U. S. Internal Revenue essays, proofs and stamps, transferred by Internal Revenue Service to the Smithsonian Institution through T. Coleman Andrews, Commissioner. This material has been in a locked cabinet within a vault, for many years, and is in pristine

Proposals for the first series of Proposals for the first series of revenue stamps with unrecorded essays are also to be shown, plus die proofs of private proprietary match and medicine stamps, and full sheets of plate proofs in black and issued colors.

Abraham Lincoln's appearance on U. S. revenue stamps will also be noted by a frame of material from this transfer, which, incidentally embraced over 100,000 specimens.

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The balance of the display will stress the story of the National Postage Stamp Collection, and those who have helped bring it to

those who have helped bring it to its present strength.

Finally, one frame from the U.S.
portion of the collection will be displayed, including such rarities as the 1869 inverts, 1991 inverts, Columbian color error, and so

The individual frames will be setup as follows:

PART 1 — Material from the March and October 1954, trans-fers of Internal Revenue essays, proofs and stamps — never before exhibited — transferred from the Internal Revenue Service through T. Coleman Andrews, Commissioner, to the National Postage Stamp

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Frame 3 — Documents and proposal pertaining to 19th century
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dealing with fugitive inks for printing and cancellation, with essays.

Frame 4 — Die proofs, in blue,
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Frame 3 — Items from the Philip H. Ward, Jr. and John P. V. Heinmuller donations of United States examps.

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Frame 5 — Pages from the Honduras and Paraguay airmail collections donated by Ernest Lowenstein.

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Frame 6 — The Philatelic Library — 19th century items from the Malcolm MacGregor and Eugene N. Costales donations.

The Smithsonian Institution displays for the A.S.D.A. National Postage Stamp Show have been prepared by Franklin R. Bruns, Jr., Curator, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D.C.

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Frame 5 — Large plate proofs black and adopted colors of a representation of the first revenue issue of 1862.

Frame 6 — Abraham Lincoln on United States Internal Revenue Frame 6 — Prepared covers can be sent to

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rew metal handstamps of the U-120n style was used there.

The office is to be merged with the Cuyahoga Falls. Never a scarce town to get but on the other hand not too common either. In such instances, past experience has prov-en that it doesn't take long for existing supplies to be taken from the market.

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Riverside, Tolar.

In Oregon — Brighton, and Houl-

Washington — Sharon.
All of these in time, with some few exceptions perhaps, will be pretty fair property in precancels.

### POSTAGE DUES.

A matter of addition which amounts to a correction on my note about Postage Dues some time ago. Postage Dues can ONLY be bought at the Agency and will NOT be available at regular offices as my article might have implied. implied.

Also as several readers pointed out it is NOT likely that any change will be made in the ruling against the use of postage dues as precancels. So be it.

### ASDA Show On Voice Of America

How and why the Government of the United States, a free world leader in the fight against communism, uses the ubiquitous postage ism, uses the ubiquitous postage stamp as a propaganda instrument will be told by the Federal Information Agency's Voice of America in a broadcast to English-speaking peoples abroad when the sixth annual National Postage Stamp Show opens on November 19 in the 71st Infantry Regiment Armory, New York City.

York City.

Howard Hotchner, president of the Voice of America Stamp Club? supervises the English-language program each Tuesday. The material he prepares is adapted by the supervisors of the philatelic programs regularly beamed in Arabic, French, German, Hindu, Persian, Spanish and Turkish to Europe, the Near East, the Far East and southern Asia.

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The Voice will broadcast on November 19 directly from the floor of the Armory. Notables at the opening ceremonies will be interviewed, and the unseen audience will be told that the United States officially encourages and supports such shows as a matter of course because its postal administration

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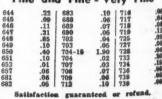
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### Learned Sprint Start From Stamp

How the runner pictured on a postage stamp helped a real life athlete develop his style into a winning one, is told by John Mc-Manis in a recent edition of the Detroit News.



The 1 Leu stamp of the 1937 issue Romania put out for the first Balk an Olympics is a splended picture of a sprinter coming out of his crouch. It shows the runner at about the second step off the blocks, while he is still bending with his head not yet raised. It is a perfect illustration of the leg drive in the early phase of a spring race. Johnny Wilcox was a Redford football and baseball player with speed and adaptability. He was very easily coached and assimilated instruction quickly.

He turned to track in his last year in high school and in his early meets was only an indifferent performer. The trouble lay in his start, since he was in the sprint and hurdle events, where the start is about 50 per cent of the race.

Ken Doherty, then track coach at Michigan, gave him special instruction one afternoon in Ann Arbor, and then this Romanian stamp

was given him to study.

It was photographed and blown up to about 10 times normal size. Johnny propped the enlargement up in his room and studied it. He took it to school and carried it to the running track. He had friends hold it and check his form. By the time of the city indoor meet he had mastered the start so well that he was a perfect replica of the stamp. He won the 220-yard dash that year — the only Redford runner who has ever taken a city high school sprint championship—he was second high man in the meet and later he ran on the Great Lakes team when he was in the Navy and he won a letter as a sprinter at Michigan under Doherty.

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### ASDA Cachet Will Feature Lincoln

Annual Deficit

Here is something different in Government finance! Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield has returned to the Treasury \$101,000,000 in unspent funds from the Post Office Department appropriation for fiscal year 1954, which ended June 30, 1954.

It was the second consecutive year that the Post Office Department operated without having to ask Congress for more money. Previous to the last two fiscal years, it had received supplemental appropriations each year since 1945.

1945.

The Postmaster General's expenditures were \$277,000,000 less than the amount requested for fiscal 1954 by his predecessor and \$195,000,000 less than the spending budget for 1954 sent to Congress by the former Administration.

No part of these savings are the result of bookkeeping or transfers.

result of bookkeeping or transfers within the Government. These amounts are net reductions in spending over and above any such

Although the Post Office Department finished in the red for the year it spent less money than it was given by Congress and was not as far in the red as in previous years.

vious years.

The Post Office Department finished the fiscal year, the first full fiscal year under the Eisenhower Administration, with an operating deficit of \$399,600,000. During the preceding year, five months of which were under the Eisenhower Administration, the deficit was \$835,000,000.

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### **Notes On The Symbols** Of Korean Stamps

Some of the symbols which are shown on Korean stamps are Oriental—others distinctly Korean. The Taikuk—two tadpoles chasing each other in a circle—is the oriental symbol of life—all the contrasts of nature which, when absolutely balanced, bring peace and well being. This symbol is especially prominent on Scott Nos. 6-33, 65, 66, 83, 84, and 106. The great absolute, cosmic creation, the unsolved riddle of the origin of life—one could write pages of philosophy, music, art, literature, ceremony, medicine, and still not exhaust all the ideas embodied in this sign and the four trigrams which make up the Korean flag.

The flag is shown on Nos. 68, 80-82, 85, 89, 108, 118, 120, 121, 124, bolizes all that was finest in art and literature and literature and literature.

128-31, 132-181.

128-31, 132-181.

Of the ten "everlasting" symbols — deer, pine, crane, bamboo, sun, mountains, turtle, water, clouds, and everlasting flowers — we find the following on the stamps: deer, pine, crane, mountains, and turtle. The deer is on the recently issued high values. The pine and crane are always together in art, in this instance on Nos. 101 and 122.

The mountains pictured are the

Nos. 101 and 122.

The mountains pictured are the Ever White — the source of the Korean nation — found on No. 120; and the Diamond Mountains on stamps No. 102 and 112.

(Editors note: — According to information in Scott's Monthly Journal the White Mountains were a Communist stronghold where United Nation troops sought to penetrate, and the legendary home of the explicit Koreans who spread of the explicit Koreans who spread penetrate, and the legendary nome of the earliest Koreans who spread southwards. This stamp released November 20, 1950 was issued to replace previous ones that were invalidated when many post offices in South Korea were damaged and their stocks of stamps disappeared.

validated when many post offices in South Korea were damaged and their stocks of stamps disappeared. The design shows Paik Too San, meaning Whitehead Mountain — the highest of the range.)

The turtle is used as a special tombstone base — this one, No. 185, is for the 19th King of Silla, Mu Yal Wang who first united the three kingdoms which made up the present Korea. The Phoenix, stamp No. 106, which symbolizes resurrection, is a fabulous bird, sacred to the sun, of five gorgeous colors, and with five very sweet tones — the single male bird living for 500 years and then setting its nest on fire as its funeral pyre — and out of the ashes comes the new bird.

The white tiger (No. 123) is the symbol of the west included on

comes the new bird.

The white tiger (No. 123) is the symbol of the west, pictured on the west wall of a stone-lined tomb near Pyongyang. It is a magnificent creature — loose flowing tail, strong hind foot expressive of the district force that conde it buttling. driving force that sends it hurtling through the air — fierce claws, wild flames of fire, fanged jaws and hotly glaring eyes wonderful.

wonderful.

The lovely hibiscus (Nos. 70, 74, 92, 93, 96, 109, 113, and 119) is the national flower and the plum blossom (No. 6-54) is the symbol of the Lee dynasty as the stylized chrysanthemum is the family crest of the Japanese imperial family.

On authors stome is the methors.

On another stamp is the moth with the taikuk on its wings, this moth being a lovely thing. We have had two specimens. The Korean doctors assured us it had never been known until independence came — a gift of heaven for their encouragement. So we hadn't the heart to give them the scientific name — Sporedonia japonica,

Guoneo.

Plum blossoms (Nos. 6-54) depict

Plum blossoms (Nos. 6-64) depict Plum blossoms (Nos. 6-54) depict the indomitable courage which defies storms and snows of adversity. Rice (No. 100) is the staff of life and ginseng (No. 103) is the elixir of life (in the eyes of the Oriental). From the researches of Western medicine it is found to be inert but it has a very strong psychological effect in the minds of Easterners.

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and literature and science. But most important of all is the pho-netic alphabet (No. 74) — invented by the scholars under King So Jong in 1446 and since they had already had moveable metal type since 1404, the sacred books could be put into the native script and Chinese literature was opened to the average Korean. the average Korean.

The Greek key border on the first airmail stamps (Nos. 1-3) reminds us of the swastika which is an oriental design used in many ways as a decoration on rugs, matting, doors and in Buddhist temples as a sign of good luck or benediction. Before the Buddhists adopted it, the Taoists used it as a longarity expels. a longevity symbol — the ceaseless beginning and the continuous mov-ing of life. It is interesting to know a bit

about the first mail in Korea. A Progressive Party under Kim Ok Kiun staged an 'uprising at the banquet marking the opening of the first post office on December 4, 1884 and Min Young Ik was badly injured and five high officials and others assassinated.

The first and only mail was received the purple the first post office.

ceived through the first post office on December 6 before the build-ing was burned December 7, and no foreign mail was handled until

1900.

Korean and Chinese soldiers under Yuan Shi Kwai drove out the Japanese legation soldiers and civilians and the defeated progrescivilians and the defeated progressive leaders went with them. Dr. H. N. Allen, medical officer of the American legation and a former missionary was called to save Min Young Ik, a nephew of the queen, and his success opened the way to Christian Missions in Korea

way to Christian Missions in Korea.

The home of Hong Young Sik, host for the post office dinner was confiscated and given to Dr. Allen for the first foreign medical center.

cal center.

We have visited Poolkuk Sa (stamp No. 184) several times. It was erected in 751 A.D., a very beautiful collection of Korean buildings. The Taibo Pagoda (No. 105 is the one we call the Indian Pagoda. It stands in all its elaborate glory of carved stone near a very plain pagoda we've always thought plain pagoda we've always thought more purely Korean. The stone cave temple, Sok Kul Am (183) is up a steep mountain above Pool-kuk Sa. A great stone Buddha elev-en feet high sits in the middle on a stone pedestal with fifteen fig-ures in bas relief on the wall around—Graeco-Indian figures.

The three women are particular-ly beautiful. Outside several guard-ians on either side, we call St. Georges as they seem to be con-quering dragons below. Of historical buildings we find

Of historical buildings we find the Observatory (No. 69, 94) dated 647 A. D. cylindrical, 30 feet high. From its top astronomers kept watch of the sky. Even before the erection of this tower, scientists were able to predict eclipses as early as 54 B.C. They were able to prepare calendars at least by 674. Astronomers were really ministers of Government and de-

674. Astronomers were really ministers of Government and determined state affairs.
South Gate, Seoul, (No. 104) is the most important of the eight gates in the fifteen mile circuit of the city wall. The wall was built in 1396 by 200,000 workmen and stood ten to twenty feet high.

Independence Arch (No. 78) was finished just before the Japanese took over the country. It was erected beside the pavilion used by the Chinese embassy during the

the Chinese embassy during the audience given them outside the

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walls of Seoul. The pavilion was torn down in 1895 but two side pil-lars remained — were still there the last time we saw Independence

Arch.

At the corner stone laying November 21, 1896, Dr. Phillip Jaisohm gave one of four addresses and music was furnished by the Pai Chai School were Syngman Rhee was a student.

The capital (No. 87) is important — but only as a left-over building of the Japanese regime. The Poolkuk Monastery (No. 184) and Tong Yung Temple (186) are much more important.

Admiral Li Sun Sin (43, 76) and his Turtle boats (79) brought the Hideyoshi invasion to a close for lack of reinforcements, even though his two forces had reached Seoul in twenty days and on to Pyongyang and the northeast. Reinforcements were to sail up the west coast to the Taidoug Biyer. inforcements were to sail up the west coast to the Taidong River, but Li sailed out from Yusoo and destroyed the advance division and

destroyed the advance division and later two more squadrons were practically annihilated.

Then he sailed into Pusan harbor with about 180 boats and engaged the 500 ships lying at anchor, destroying more than half. So the Japanese were forced to give up their dream of conquest of China.

But in a secondary invasion in

But in a secondary invasion in 1597 with only 12 ships Li put to flight a fleet of over 300 vessels and again as the armies were re-called the combined Chinese and Korean fleets almost anninihilated one division.

one division.

These boats of Li's were larger, with greater speed than ships of the period. They afforded complete shelter to the crew and the least chance for boarding. They carried a large number of guns, perhaps 48, and ports for archery as well. The sulphuric fumes from the mouth of the turtle not only inspired superstitious terror but served as a smoke screen. The arched and sloping roof was studded with spikes and knives. studded with spikes and knives. There were ten oars to a side and speed of movement was pos-The Japanese had the new and

deadly musket as well as their long two-handled swords in the hands of skilled fighters, so Li wanted to ram and set their ships on fire and withdraw out of their range of fire.

There are many parallels be-tween Li Sun Sin and Sir Fran-cis Drake. Born the same year, 1545, both defended their country against invasion. Both were ham-pered by their governments. Both were removed from command for refusal to obey impossible orders. Both returned to their rank and won victory. Both worked with their hands and put idle men to work, Drake on the waterworks at Plymouth and Li salt making

at Yusoo.

Both died at their posts. Li was shot down like Nelson and died on the deck of his ship. He ranks with Drake and Nelson as one of the

Drake and Nelson as one of the sea's great men.
(Editors Note: This story was written especially for Linn's Weekly Stamp News, and "Korean Philately", Journal of the Korea Stamp Society. Information about the group can be gotten from Harold D. Bearce, 3807 Indiana, Kansas City, Mo.)

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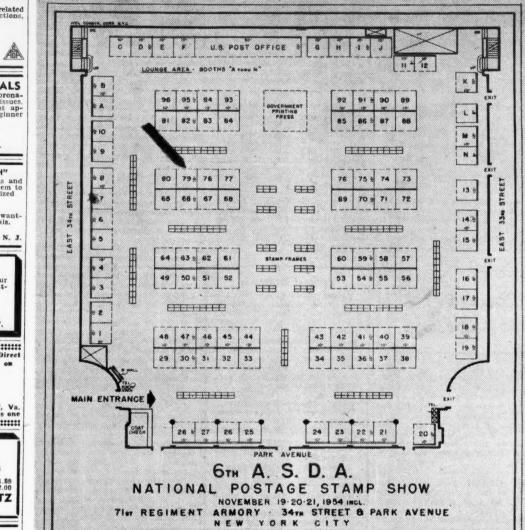
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LAYOUT OF THE ARMORY INTERIOR. Elsewhere on this page are given the booth numbers of the various dealers who will have space at the ASDA Show in New York. The arrow points to that of LINN'S WEEKLY STAMP NEWS, No. 79, right close to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing stamp printing display. At the back of the building (top of the illustration) is the location of the exhibition station post office. The entrance is at 34th St. and Park Ave. (lower left). Lounges of the stamp societies are on the sides and across the rear.

### Dealers Who Will Be At ASDA Show

Nearly 90 of the world's largest nearly 90 of the world's largest and most active stamp dealers will have bourse space at the 6th ASDA National Postage Stamp Show in the 71st Infantry Armory, Park Ave., and 34th St., New York City, November 19 to 21.

It has been generally possible that somewhere on the floor of the show one can buy just about any kind of a philatelic item whether it is stamps, rare or common, cov-ers, literature, albums or acces-sories.

Many of Linn's readers who will attend the affair have favorite stamp dealers whom they have never met personally, but with whom they might have dealt for a long time. They will be able to meet many of them at the Armory in this work and before Thanksity. in this week end before Thanksgiv-

Below is given a list of these philatelic merchants in alphabetical order:

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### **Topical Night For** Cinema Collectors

The Cinema Stamp Collectors will have a "Topical Stamp Night" for its meeting on Tuesday, No-vember 23 at the Hotel Astor, New

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The active bidding found many items going for new highs. The Lehman collection was known for its fine quality, and the bidding reflected this condition. Some of the outstanding items, included:

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The 1847 issues were in demand prices ranging from \$26 to \$700 for the 5c the latter price (\$700) being paid for a 5c dark brown with four full margins tied with a blue "Troy & New York Steamboat" in a rectangle.

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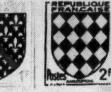
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### Dealer Doings

A new and completely revised Vatican City priced check list has been produced by Pierson Ostrow, P. O. Box 121, Elizabeth, N. J. Given are the dates of issue and the number of stamps printed, plus a recording of errors, unusual items such as gutter pairs, maximum cards and specialities. It is sent for 15c in stamps to cover the cost of mailing.

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Dec. 13 - U. S. Cancellation December 27—Germany Phila-

telic Society.

January 31—Highway Post Office Society. Further inquiries can be di-rected to this paper by inter-ested dealers.

Clubs or societies agreeable to sponsoring a special edition can get the details on request.

priced. Albums and accessories can be purchased.

Catalogues of his two-day auction can be obtained from John A. Fox, 173 Tulip Ave., Floral Park, N. Y. on request. The sale itself will be held in his offices at 116 Nassau St. November 23 and 24. Three collections comprising plate imprint and plate number blocks, vending machine issues, airmails and 500 lots of general foreign will go under the hammer. the hammer.

### 1955 Edition Of Ceres Catalogue

In a 13th edition is the "Ceres Catalogue of Postage Stamps for France and Colonies - 1955". It consists of 264 pages between paper covers and in available in the consists of 204 pages between paper coyers and is available in the United States from Jacob Habib, 1407 Sherdan Ave., New York 56, N.Y. at \$1 per copy postpaid.

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It gives a good over all coverage of the the philatelic material included in the nations contained within the limits of the title. Most of the listings are semi-specialized in nature, giving color, watermark and other established varieties from normal. In some instances plate miscues are pictured.

Language of the text is French and the pricing is in francs. Illustrations while profuse, leave much to be desired. The average collector with a smattering of philatelic French should be able to do well with this reference book.

### Americans, Canadians Fete Junior Collectors

The Port Huron-Sarnia Stamp Club will hold an exhibition November 19 for the school stamp clubs in an area ranging from Sandusky to Algonac. This club is made up of collectors resident in Port Huron, Mich. and their neighbors aroses the river in Sarnia Stamp bors across the river in Sarnia, Canada.

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opening of the new association headquarters at the Stamp Center, 116 Nassau St., New York City.
With president Sylvester Colby, executive officer Peter G. Keller and Mrs. Keller acting as hosts, the visitors were shown the new and spacious quarters of Suite 1018 in the 12-story building in the heart of the philatelic center of America Nassau Street. Dozens of stamp Nassau Street. Dozens of stamp firms also have offices there.
 The new A.S.D.A. headquarters

occupies almost one whole side of a wing, walls of five smaller of-fices having been ripped out to give a large, airy and well-lighted main office, a directors' room, and a

part.

Pictures taken during five A.S.D.A. National Postage Stamp Shows in New York, and of A.S. D.A. sponsored stamp shows in Boston. Chicago, and elsewhere will also be on display.

Symbols — plates, awards, etc.—of A.S.D.A. participation in international exhibitions, such as TI-PEX and CIPEX will also be displayed, a number of these already being exhibited in a glass-enclosed wall cabinet.

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The opening reception found many notables from the stamp world in attendance, including representatives from the Post Office Department, United Nations, philatelic press, the lay press, representatives of the leading philatelic societies and organizations who have had contact with the A.S.D.A. throughout the years.



Nev. 19—S. Pinchot, 505 Fifth Ave., New York 17, N. Y. United States, mint used, sheets, France, General Foreign.

Nov. 22—H. B. Zeitlin, 1795 Riverside Dr New York 34, N. Y. German States o and off cover, Colonies, Europe. and off cover, Colonies, Europe.
Nov. 23—Hobbs Stamp Co., 38 Park Row,
New York 38, N. Y. United States 19th
and 20th cent., General Foreign.
Nov. 23-24—John A. Fox. 173 Tulip Ave.,
Ploral Park, N. Y. U. S. irc plate,
imprint blocks, General Foreign.

Nov. 26—Stampfair, 315 W. 42nd St., Nev York 36, N. Y. United States, British Colonials, General Foreign.

Colonies, General Foreign, Covers.
Nov. 29-Dec. 2-H. R. Harmer, Inc., 32 E
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Dec. 1—Walter Gisiger, 110 W 42nd St. New York 36, N. Y. U S. 19th & 20th Century, Brit. Cols., General, Wholesale. Century, Brit. Cols., General, Wholesale Dec. 2—F-L Stamp Co. 101 W. 85th St. New York 24. N. Y. United States, For-eign. inc. blocks, essays, proofs, varieties. Dec. 6—Philip H. Jones, Jr., Hroad Acree Farm, Shelton, Conn. United States postal cards exclusively.

Dec. 18—Doar Stamp Co. P.O. Box 331, Red Bank, N. J. Israel, Palestine exclusively with Interims and Forerunners.

Dec. 10—Herman Herst Jr., Shrub Oak, N. Y. United States 19th & 20th century mint singles, blocks, plate blocks, covers.

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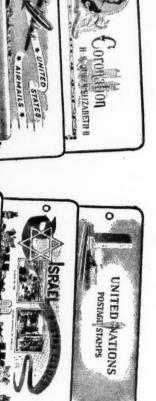
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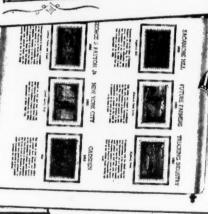
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